Cabled Across.

Still Another Severe Earthquake in Austria.

Nicaragua's Reply to Great Britain Is Not Satisfactory.

All Sorts of Objections to the Jap-Chinese Peace Treaty.

Probable Loss of a British Bark and Her Crew of Eighteen Men-Story of a Plot Against President Faure Denied.

A PARISIAN CANARD. PARIS, April 18.-It is denied semiofficially that the police or Government had any information regarding a plot against the President.

DISASTROUS EXPLOSION. SANTIAGO DE CUBA, April 18.-An accidental explosion in the Grenade barracks today killed Juan Castilla and wounded seven artillerymen.

EIGHTEEN MEN LOST. HAMBURG, April 18 .- The British bark Ironerag, which sailed from Manta, Ecuador, on Oct. 3 for this port, has been given up as lost. She carried a crew of eighteen.

BRITAIN NOT SATISFIED. LONDON, April 18.-The statement that the Foreign Office declines to accept the reply of Nicaragua to the British ultimatum is made upon official authority.

A BRICK WORKERS' BATTLE. VIENNA, April 18.-A serious riot occurred here today between a number of brick carriers and a crowd of striking brickmakers. The latter were the aggressors, attacking the carriers with bricks. The police using their side arms finally quelled the disturbance, but not until fifteen men had been wounded.

MORE EARTHQUAKES IN AUSTRIA VIENNA, April 18.—There was another severe earthquake at Laibach a few minutes before 6 o'clock this evening. Several buildings which had been unsettled by previous shocks were thrown to the ground. The weather and the scantiness and poorness of food have caused fever and dysentry among the families who are camping outside the town. Many children have died and the sick are numbered by the

Emperor Franz Josef has given 10,000 florins to the sufferers in Laibach. The railway company has provided several hundred cars, and the War Office has sent all available tents. Beyond this, however, little has been done to relieve the distress of 50,000 homeless persons in the Laibach district.

AFTER THE WAR.

A cablegram received in Washington from John W. Foster adviser of the Chinese peace plenipotentiaries announces that he will accompany Li Hung Chang to Pekin. The Chinese Viceroy and his party will arrive at Pekin about May 1 between which time and the expiration of the extended armistice, on May 8, there will be a week for the Chinese authorities to exchange ratifications of the treaty. It is not doubted that the treaty will be ratified and promptly proclaimed.

A telegram from Tokio says that the Mikado has expressed a desire to visit Pekin and discuss with the Chinese Emperor the project of an alliance. He proposes also to invite Siam to ally herself with China and Japan.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg says The newspapers here agree that the cession of mainland territory to Japan will compel Europe to intervene to procure such modifications of the treaty as will safeaguard European interests.

Live News in a Line.

Charles Knox, the well-known New York hatter, is dying of pneumonia. He is 77 years old.

The Iron Trade Review, of Cleveland, O., says the movement continues toward improved conditions in the iron trade. The old sash, door and blind trust has been revived at Chicago, and starts with a membership of 39 firms, representing capital of \$20,000,000.

A Washington dispatch says Acting Secretary Hamlin has decided that the sale of stamp albums containing printed fac similes of stamps is illegal. A Denison, Texas, dispatch says the sensational report sent out of a battle

in the Chickasaw nation between Gov. Mosely and factions is a canard. The United States Treasury Department circular authorizing the landing

of steamship passengers after the hour of sunset was issued on Thursday after-The National Manufacturing and Jewelry Importing Company, of Chi-cago, has assigned. The assets of the

company are placed at \$186,000, and the liabilities at about \$90,000.

killed and eight wounded. It was caused by disappointed office seekers. The Leather Belting Manufacturers' Association decided at a meeting held in New York on Thursday to increase the price of belting 20 per cent over the

net prices now prevailing, the advance to take effect on April 22. A committee presented medals at Lloyds on Thursday to Capt. Barends, of the Hamburg-American steamship Normannia and several others who took part in the rescue of the ship Arno's crew in mid-ocean last week.

The North Dakota Milling Associa-tion at Grand Forks made an assignment on Thursday afternoon. The assets of the association will amount to \$700,000 and the liabilities to \$400,-000. The association owns eleven mills.

FIREWORKS AND BEER.

The Mixture Proves Fatal to a Man and

a Boy. CHICAGO, April 18.-Reuben Johnworks, died this afternoon of accidental prisoning. Johnson had gone to Holten being the Elks and the Chicago len's house to haul away a load of fire- Typographical

works. While there he sent out for a can of beer, drinking part and giving the rest to the child. The child died within a few minutes, and Johnson expired in the ambulance while being taken to a hospital.

It is believed that some of the poisonous substances used in making fire-works had gotten either into the can or into the glass from which the beer was drank.

Late Canadian News.

Boy Killed on the Railway Track at Woodstock.

Gervais & Handon, piano and organ merchants, Quebec, have assigned. Louis Chevalier, chief of the Provincial revenue police, died in Ottawa on Thursday from consumption.

McEwen's jewelry store at Leth-bridge, Man., was entered by burglars Tuesday night and stock to the value of \$200 taken. The Board of Trade of Windsor will urge the city council at its next Monday

night meeting to pass a bylaw exempting the C. P. R. salt works. The lawyers for Shortis, the Valleyfield, Qu., murderer, applied to have the prisoner examined as to his sanity before the trial. Judgment was reserved. The 3-year-old daughter of A. Cantin, agent of the G. T. R. at Beauharnois,

story window of a house on Wednesday, receiving serious injuries, but will probably recover. The civic board of health for the year shows Montreal's death rate to be 27.27 per 1,000, a considerable increase over the preceding year. There were 10,714 births and 6,594 deaths. There were 5,728

Quebec, fell to the ground from a third

deaths last year. Rev. Richard Harrison, incumbent of St. Matthias' Church, Toronto, is dangerously ill, and but slight hopes are entertained of his recovery. Mr. Harrison is a brother of the late Chief Justice Harrison.

News has been received of the death of Edmond P. Abell at Joliet, Ill. Deceased was formerly Government inspector of steamboats at Winnipeg, and prior to that was in the service of the Hudson's Bay Company.

The Province of British Columbia having applied for the assistance of the Mounted Police in quelling the Indian uprising in the Lower Kootenay, word has been sent to the police to be in readiness to act should they be notified from Ottawa to do so.

The Ontario Educational Association continued its 39th annual meeting in the Normal School building on Wednesday. Every feature of the work taken up was enthusiastically entered into. The attendance in each department was large, and everybody seemed thoroughly interested.

A boy named Robert McBeith, 7 years old, was killed on the G. T. R. track at Woodstock on Thursday. The lad was on the bridge over Mill street when a train going east came along, and was run over before the train could be stopped. His father is one of the head foremen at the Hay Company's large fac-

tory there. Six and a-half pounds of dynamite and 200 percussion caps were found under the sidewalk on Hatt street Dundas on Wednesday evening by some boys. The lads did not know the dangerous nature of the stuff they were playing with when some person saw them and removed it to the town hall. It was part of the stuff stolen from the tool box of the H. T. and B. contractors

DISASTROUS FIRE AT NIAGARA.

The Orpheus Theater Block Burned to the Ground.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., April 18 .-The Orpheus Park Theater block at Niagara Falls, N. Y., was burned to the ground at midnight. The theater proper consisted of ground floor and gallery, with seating capacity of 1,200.

In the block was the Rickert cafe and refreshment rooms, and Gaghan & Smith's curiosity store, the upper flat being occupied as the rooms of the Orpheus Singing Society. The loss on the building is estimated at \$25,000; to occupants, \$15,000. The International Hotel, close by, had a nar-

row escape. NO BACKDOWN.

Woman Suffrage in Utah a Settled Matter.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 18.-Woman suffrage was finally disposed of in the constitutional convention today. A motion to reconsider the clause adopting it was killed by a decisive majority, almost the entire vote in favor of reconsideration coming from the anti-Mormon members.

THE EVANGELICAL ASSOCIATION SELKIRK, Ont., April 18 .- The Canada conference of the Evangelical Association met at Cayuga on Thursday, Bishop J. J. Esher, of Chicago, pre-siding. The follwing brethren were licensed as preachers on probation: Bristol Hardy, of Stratford; William Beese, of Walkerton; Henry Holtzman, of Mildmay; W. O. Hehn, of Ayton; Wm. Wettlauffer, of Tavistock. Rev. G. C. Kaatz, of the Oregon Conference, Gov. Mosely, of Oklahoma, and his staff were attacked by insurrectionists on Wednesday, and in the fight six were bach resigned office as presiding elder.

FUNERAL OF EDITOR SCOTT. CHICAGO, April 18 .- Not since the remains of Carter Harrison were consigned to earth has there been so much public interest shown in a funeral as was manifested at the last services over the body of James W. Scott, late proprietor of the Chicago Times-Herald and Evening Post, this morning. The ceremonial took place at St. James' Episcopal Church at 11 o'clock. Representatives of all the numerous clubs of which Mr. Scott was a member made an assemblage almost large enough to comfortably fill the edifice, and hundreds of persons were unable to gain admission. The list of active pallbearers was made up of all the old employes of the papers, to the acquire-ment of which the deceased had given the best part of his life. The honorary pall-bearers were taken from the ranks of men who are prominent in public life. Rev. Ernest M. Stires, rector of Grace Church, conducted the services, and the Rev. Frank W. Gunsaulus delivered a eulogistic address. The son, an expressman, and the small son of John Holden, a manufacturer of fireworks, died this afternoon of accidental

TRADE IN CANADA.

Some Favorable Features Are Discernible.

Cullings from Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review.

TORONTO, April 18.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly statement of trade in Canada says:

In Montreal the week has been rather a quiet one as regards general business. In the wholesale trade there is no particular briskness. Collections are reported very poor, even behind last month. Changes in values are not many. The hide market continues very excited, with advancing prices. Leather is also very firm, though the move-ment is not specially active at the mo-

The improvement previously noted in wholesale circles at Toronto continues. There has been a further advance in cotton, petroleum, home products and The high prices for hides has beef. resulted in a better tone to the leather trade, and a small advance is reported in boots and shoes. The sentiment prevailing seems to favor an improvement in general trade in the future, but aside from the advance in commodities noted, there is as yet little evidence of a practical character that is very encouraging. The earning power of money shows little increase, and the demands for funds for new enterprises is limited.

The drygoods trade, as well as groceries and hardware, has improved, and all seasonable goods are in demand. The failures for the week are 31, as against 45 for the corresponding week

of last year.

POLITICAL POINTERS. Quebec Election-Mr. McGreevy Wants a Recount-The Victory in Antigonish.

QUEBEC, April 18.-Mr. McGreevey has decided to ask a recount of the ballots before a judge.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 18.—Complete returns from Antigonish place Mr. Mc-Isaacs' majority at 120.

TORONTO, April 18 .- "The result of the Haldimand election will not alter my position," said Mr. D'Alton Mc-Carthy today. "But I am afraid it will have a very serious effect on Manitoba. The Conservatives will come to the conclusion that the people of Ontario are not interested in the question, though they should not, for the contest was won by wholesale corruption."

Y. W. C. A. CONVENTION.

PITTSBURG, April 18.—The fifth international convention of Young Women's Christian Association opened in the First Presbyterian Church in this city this afternoon. Mrs. Grace Whitney Evans, of Detroit, Mich., presided.

Today's session was hearing of the committee and officers' reports, and the evening's meeting will be taken up with addresses and a reception to the delegates. There are about 200 delegates, representing

college and city associations, present. NEW YORK, April 18.—The 31st international convention of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at Springfield, Mass., May 8-12, and the 25th annual conference of the general secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at Hartford, Conn., May 13-16. Arrangements have been made for a special rate of a fare and a third for the round trip on the certificate plan for delegates to the Springfield and Hartford meetings.

THE OIL SPURT. OIL CITY, April 18.—The ruling price of oil, \$2 60; at exchange opened at \$2 40;

highest, \$2 57 1-2; lowest, \$2 36; closed, THE HORSE FAIR. TORONTO, April 18.—Canada's first annual horse show was formally opened

in the new armory by Lieut.-Gov. Geo. A. Kirkpatrick at 2 o'clock this afternoon, in the presence of a large and representative gathering. DESPITE REDUCED TARIFFS. SHARON, Pa., April 19.-The Atlan-

tic iron works, employing 600 men, will esume next Monday in full after an idleness of nearly two years. Every industry of importance in Shenandowah Valley will be then in operation. CHASED A BRITISH SHIP.

NEW YORK, April 19.—A special (World) from Kingston, Jamaica, says A Spanish warship chased the little British steamship Ethelred, which was fired upon by a Spanish gunboat on April 10 into Port Antonio Wednesday, creating great excitement. Capt. Hop-kins, of the Ethelred, refused to talk about the incident."

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS. TORONTO, April 18.—Mr. Donald Guthrie, Q.C., M.P.P., Guelph, has been appointed to the vacant office of in-spector of registry offices, made vacant by the death of the late Hon. C.

F. Fraser. Mr. Thomas Southworth, Brock-ville, editor of the Brockville Recorder, has been appointed clerk of the forestry, the position which the Hon. C. F. Fraser held. The forestry branch has been transferred from the Agricultural to the Crown Lands Department.

Many deaths are reported in Macao in the Portuguese settlement of China, at the mouth of the Canton River, as the result of the plague.

Among the pains and aches cured With marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is earache. The young are especially subject to it, and the desirability of this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by the fact that it is admirably adapted not only to the above ailment, but also to the hurts. disorders of the bowels, and affections of the throat, to which the young are especially subject.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

-Mr. and Mrs. John Labatt have gone to Montreal on a visit. -A last night's telegram from Hamilton says: J. J. Bayne, formerly in the liquor business, was arrested on a tele-gram from London today charging him with fraud and was taken to the

Forest City this evening. -Thomas Wallace, an elderly man who lives with George Graham on the Hamilton road, east of the city limits, walked into one of the horse stalls at the Central fire hall last night. Wallace was slightly inebriated and was

taken to the police station. He will be sent home today. It is a wonder he was not injured by the big horse.

The rapid growth in the advertising business of Remington Bros. has compelled them to see the larger quarters. pelled them to secure larger quarters for their New York branch, and they have removed to handsome and commodious offices in the Mutual Reserve building, corner Broadway and Duane street. They report greatly increased business both there and at their present home office in Pittsburg. The business of Remington Bros. was established in 1987, but the property of the prop lished in 1887 by the present members

of the firm. -Detective Nickel arrived in the city last night from Hamilton, having in custody J. J. Baine, who is charged with fraud committed some time ago. According to the complaint Baine sold John Plaxton, C. P. R. engineer, and Conductor Downing a quantity of goods, taking their notes for \$30 each. The understanding was that if the goods did not suit the purchasers, they could exchange them at a certain store in Toronto. The goods did not suit, but the alleged place for exchange turned out to be a flour and feed store.

Mr. James Robson, con. 11, London township, died in St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday after a very critical operation. She was an estimable young lady of 22 years, and her death will be regretted by many friends. Miss Robson was a niece of Mrs. H. R. Schram, South London, and a cousin of Capt. Thomas Robson. county clerk. AS TO ADVERTISING.

Merchant-Do you thing advertising pays?

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Book Agent—Why not? Because it takes all the people to your store to buy goods, and I can't find anybody at home to sell a book to; that's why not. S. A. PROMOTIONS.

The Salvation Army War Cry officially announces the following promotions: Capt. A. McLean, of Woodstock, to be ensign; Lieut. Lecocq, Coldwater, to be captain; Cadet Fletcher, Toronto Social, to be lieu tenant; Cadet Woodhead, Toronto Social, to be lieutenant; Cadet Christie, London Social secretary, headquarters to Western Presided Over by Mrs. Grace Whitney Province; Major Read, Provincial secretary, Western Province, to be financial secretary, headquarters; Major Streeton, headquarters, to be comptroller of finance; Major Calhoun, Palmerston district, to Cornwall district; Adjt. Southall, headquarters, to be chief assistant to Major Morris; Adjt. Smeeton, London, to be chief assistant to Brig. Margetts and D. O., London district; Ensign Alex. McLean, Woodstock corps, to Hamilton district; Ensign Hunter, Cornwall district, to Guelph district; Ensign Dowell, Lisgar street corps, to Palmerston district, REV. JAMES GORDON'S FUNERAL.

Very impressive were the funeral services held over the remains of the late Rev. James Gordon, the venerable Presbyterian clergyman who died on Tuesday morning at his residence, 730 Water loo street. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon. At 2 o'clock a service was held at the house, which was attend by a host of deceased's friends and tend by a nost of deceased s friends and these clergymen: Rev. Robert John-ston, of St. Andrew's Church; Rev. W. J. Clark, of the First Presbyterian Church; Rev. M. P. Talling, of St. James'; Rev. Mr. Henderson, Appin; Revs. Stewart, McEwen and Johnson (retired). Rev. Robert Johnston was in charge of the services, which began with a Scripture reading by Rev. Mr. Henderson, followed by a short address from Rev. Mr. McEwen. Mr. McEwen had always been one of Mr. Gordon's closest friends, and he referred in the kindest terms to the earnest Christian character and life of the deceased. He (Mr. McEwen) had been a room mate in the college with Mr. Gordon. "We graduated together," he said, "and now that Mr. Gordon is gone I believe I am, with one exception, the only surviving member of the class." Rev. W. J. Clark offered an impressive prayer, Rev. M. P. Talling pronounced the benediction, and the cortege started for Woodland Cemetery, the pall-bearers being Messrs. John Christie, James Blair, John Wright, Wm. Stevely, G. W. Armstrong and W. Woods, of Crumlin. The service at the grave was read by Rev. Robt. Johnston.

JUST ENOUGH. There were only enough members of No. 2 committee in the city to form a quorum for the regular meeting last night, Ald. Wm. Heaman and John Nutkins being away on a trip re pavements. The remaining members, Ald. Parnell, O'Meara, John Heaman and Callahan attended and transacted the little business which came up, Ald. Parnell acting as chairman. The city officials present were Secretary Bell, Acting Engineer Ironsides and Street Commissioner Owens. Thomas S. Weld, 435 Colborne street, applied for the payment of \$45 for damages received to his rig, which was upset at the corner of Bruce and Ridout streets on Jan. 17. Ald. O'Meara thought the figure was exorbitant, as a new rig could be purchased for that amount. The chairman and engineer were ordered to make inquiries into the circumstances of the accident, as it happened where the street railway tracks take a sharp turn. The company might be responsible. The Standard Granite Company, of Stanstead, Que., had heard the city was about to do some paving, and wanted the aldermen to see the material which they have on the market. Referred to the sub-committee having the paving matter in hand. Chas. R. Tuson, on behalf of the Musical Society Band, applied for a part of the grant for band concerts. Laid over. Ald. O'Meara drew attention to the condition of Dundas street, between Richmond and Talbot. It was disgraceful, and after a rain mud was splashed on the sidewalks by passing rigs and horses. To remedy this evil he moved that fine gravel be spread on the roadway where necessary. Carried. Ald. O'Meara also complained about certain streets from which the mud had been streets from which the mud had been scraped. Large stones were left almost bare, making it very uncomfortable for persons in rigs. He wanted the stones removed, and the engineer will be recommended to carry out his desires.

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MISS EVELYN DELATRE STREET (violinist) - London Choral Society's 67tf MRS. MACKELCAN (CONTRALTO), MR. Fred Jenkins, of Cleveland (tenor), Mr. W. C. Furness (bass), London Choral Society's

ONDON CHORAL SOCIETY SING SIX stirring operatic choruses, concert, City Hall, Tuesday, April 23; tickets, 50 cents. Seats reserved Williams' music rooms on and after Thursday, 18th.

MR. FRED JENKINS, AMERICA'S leading oratorio tenor, will sing three numbers at Choral concert April 23rd. 68tf USICAL LECTURE—DR. LOUIS C Elson, of Boston Conservatory of Music, will lecture on "Wagner and His Theories, with piano illustration, at Cronyn Hall, Satur-day, April 26, at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c. 67n

LLAN LINE-ST. LAWRENCE ROUTE A wide open, May 4. Sardinian sails that date. South Africa; beautiful climate; low rates. FRANK B. CLARKE, Agent, Exchange, Richmond street, next door to ADVERTISER.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY, THE recognized leading school of Western Ontario. Special half-term for children commences Saturday afternoon, April 6. at 3 o'clock. This term includes the children's closing reception, May 11. Other classes as follows: Beginners' classes, gentlemen, Monday evenings; ladies, Tuesday evenings, at 8 o'clock; ladies and children Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Advanced class, ladies and gentlemen, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Private tuition any hour not occupied with classes. Dayron & McCormick, members of N. A. M. of D. Academy, 476 Richmond street. Residence, 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

(Advertisements under this heading one

cent a word each insertion.) MASONIC-EMERGENT MEETING OF St. John's Lodge, 209a, this evening (Friday), 19th, at 7:30. Second and third degrees. Pastmasters' night. John Graham, Master; John Siddons, Secretary.

M RS. BARNEY TONIGHT—IN WELLING-TON Street Methodist Church at 8 o'clock. Bible reading in Somerset Hall at 3 o clock to-day. All welcome. 69c

Domestics Wanted.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 20c., for 15 words.)

WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant; no washing. Apply 136 Kent

WANTED - RESPECTABLE GIRL about 15 for light housework during the day. Apply at once, 232 Queen's avenue.

WANTED-COOK AND CHAMBER-MAID, to go out of the city. Dining-room and general servants wanted at once at Dwyer's Intelligence Office, 591 Richmond street. Phone 1,121. NOTICE TO THE GIRLS-IF YOU WISH a situation in private house or hotel, call at OSBORNE'S Intelligence Office, 56 Dundas

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WRITERS WANTED TO DO COPYING w at home, Law College, Lima, Oh Mention Advertiser. 67m A GENTS WANTED—\$50 PER WEEK— Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co, Tea Im-porters, 258 Dundas Street.

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WANTED-BY RESPECTABLE PERSON Position as housekeeper or any place of trust; references required. Address 572 Pall Mall.

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HAND pneumatic safety bicycle. Address H. R. H., this office. Livery Stables.

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COTTAGE TO RENT—NO. 122 SYDENHAM street; immediate possession. Apply 1:6 Sydenham street. 69c Sydenham street. TO LET-FRONT OFFICE, ON SECOND floor, Albion Buildings. Apply T. H. CARLING, city.

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FOR SALE-HOUSE, TREES AND ROOTS must be sold and off the premises by May 5; also baby carriage cheap, 468 Wellington street, site of new church.

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TENDERS. VILL BE RECEIVED at my office for the Queen's Avenue Methodist Church, for the purchase of materials and removal of the brick house known as the Morkin hotel, situated on corner of Dufferin avenue and Wellington street. Specifications of what is required can be seen at office of McBride & Farncomb, Architects, London, Must be in by 6 o'clock p.m., on Friday, 19th inst., and addressed to A. B. POWELL, 437 Richmond street.

ENDERS-SEALED TENDERS FOR THE rection of a brick addition to the Byron school house will be received by the undersigned up to 4 o'clock p.m., Friday, April 26 Plans and specifications now in the hands of the secretary. Lowest tenders not necessarily accepted. James E. Griffith, Byron, secretary-treasurer school section, No. 5, Westminster.

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How to Make a Useful Little Machine Which is Not Patented

In a letter to the Art Amateur a scheme for making a simple camera obscura is described. As the directions are simple and practical we reprint the letter, which runs as follows:

"Sir-Let me call your attention to a simple little device to aid the student in sketching. It is such as any of your a saw and plane can make with a very little outlay of money.

"It is called the 'camera obscura.' With its assistance the young sketcher out of doors can get his perpective correctly, and not only that, it is a help for drawing the interior of a room. The most beautiful cloud forms, too, can be traced on the ground glass before they can change, and the picture or sketch thus obtained can readily be enlarged by any-

one. Proceed in the following manner: length, four in depth, and six in width. In the middle of one end of it let a hole be bored (as at A in my diagram), in which insert a double convex lens, and at the other end, inside the box, place a

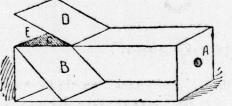


DIAGRAM SHOWING HOW A CAMERA OBSCURA

MAY BE MADE. piece of looking glass (as at B), inclining it at an angle of forty-five degrees, or midway between horizontal and perpendicular, so as to reflect objects upward. Part of the top of the box must be made to act as a lid or cover upon hinges (as at D), and the space beneath filled up by a piece of ground glass (C), upon which the objects or scenes are reflected with the greatest beauty and exactness. The carved line (E) indicates sides of thin leather or cloth tacked on the cover and sides of the box to keep off as much of the circumambient light as possible. In some cameras, instead of a fixed lens, a sliding tube, with a lens at the extremity, is employed. The inside of the box should be painted over with lampblack, or if that is not handy it may be stained

with ink. "The machine has not been patented, and therefore anyone can make it.'

The Minister's Sleigh Ride. Rev. Stanford Mitchell, of Caribou, one of the brightest Universalist clergymen in Maine has a good story to tell of a sleigh ride that he took not long ago. Miss C. E. Angell, the well-known Universalist preacher, invited him to ride with her from Auburn to Norway. She drove a spirited horse that persisted in spanking away at headlong speed, kicking frozen snow over the dasher and stopping

not for hills. But Miss Angell is a con-

fident reinswoman, and they went on.

Finally the sleigh plunged into an especially deep "yes ma'am," and the jolt was too much for the harness. Out of the shafts went the horse, and Miss Angell, still clinging to the reins, was dragged over the dasher. As she went Rev. Mr. Mitchell seized her by the feet and was himself dragged out. But the weight stopped the horse, and repairs "My mischievous friends were made. tell me," says Mr. Mitchell, "that then I came as near translation as ever any Universalist minister did-for had I not started towards heaven clinging to the

feet of an Angell?"-Lewiston Journal.

Blackie and the "Wizard." Anecdotes about the late Prof. Blackle are still widely current. "M. A." writes that the following is authentic: Many years ago the "Wizard of the North" gave some performances in Edinburgh, and Prof. Blackie was one of the crowd who went to see them. As he was making his way in he felt something at his coat tail, and putting his hand into his pocket he found an egg. This he took out and most adroitly transferred it to the him-a person as unlike himself as can well be imagined. Arrived in the hall, he remarked where the young man placed himself, and chose his own seat in a corner as remote as possible. When the time came for "Wizard" Anderson to "trouble" him for the egg he arose and explained that he had nothing of the sort in his pocket, but that he believed "that gentleman" could produce it, pointing to the astonished young man, whose surprise, however, by no means equalled apt to undertake too much, and does that of the "Wizard."-London Daily

An Interesting Bandit. "Manuel Garcia was a curious character," said a Cuban gentieman in speaking of the reported death of that revolutionist. "He was more like a character in a novel than a man liivng in the nineteenth century. His home was in the mountians and he led a regular bandit's life, every now and then holding up Spniards on the road or carrying off one of them and holding him for ransom. He would write to a Spanish planter, 'send me \$5,000 or I shall burn your house,' and if the money was not forthcoming he the services of ushers and other aids. would carry his threat into execution. Any woman has all that she He would even write to Government properly when she attends to these officials, signing himself, 'King of the matters. The secret of her success will Mountains,' and demanding tribute. He never preyed on the native Cubans, only on the Spaniards, and gave most of his mony to the revolutionary party to purchase arms."-Philadelphia Press.

the Westminster Gazette: "It has been to take the positions. cabled to you, no doubt, long ago that the women of South Australia have gained the full suffrage on the same terms as men-the same qualification of having reached the age of twenty-one before being registered as voters for the assembly; the same small property qualification for the upper house; the same eligibility to sit in the legislature for either house. The only modification is that a female voter living three miles from a polling place, or who declares that by reason of her health she will probably be unable to vote few days. Buy no other at the polling place on polling day, may vote through the postoffice with sufficient provision made for secrecy.

to assure you that you are not at all fashionable if within the last year no one has left you a few millions of dollars. That is the favorite amount, I believe, for people who go in for it at all, and it is usually accompanied by a

title or two. One has become quite "blase" of picking up the newspaper to find that a next-door neighbor will cease to contaminate the air of the whole block with dish-water, refuse and garreaders who is handy with the glue pot, bage flung daily from a back door, which must sooner or later in the nature of things witness the carrying away of the late reckless one's own remains to that dumping ground where we must all come at last, were it not fact that our friends mostly prefer to have us depart by the front door. This intelligent neighbor will cease, however, to make a public nuisance of herself, and why? Why, because her "Have a box made twelve inches in husband, or her brother, or whoever it may be, is now the Earl of Carabas, and it no longer behooves members of

"Napoleon, Trilby and Violets" have been the three fads of the past

year, I saw it stated the other day. But

there is a fourth which I think might

be added to the list, and that is to have a fortune left to you. Really, allow me

"The crocus flaming in April, With the rosiest flame, no doubt, Both mean to the man of sense, Oh, don't let the furnace out."

story, semi-detacheds.

the British aristocracy to live in two-

The little Boston boy was visiting the little New York boy, and a spelling match was one of the amusements. "How do you spell muss?" asked the little New York boy. "E-m-b-r-o-g-l-i-o." replied the little Boston boy. The little New Yorker fainted.

The Russian woman of fashion, accerding to Lord Augustus Loftus, rises late and does not appear before 2 or 3 o'clock. If it be sunny and not too cold she will drive for an hour, returning to find her salon lighted, and there she wil receive her visitors, whom she regales with tea. If going to the opera, she dines early and returns about 10 o'clock, when she rests until time to appear at the ball at midnight, whence she does not return until 3 or 4 in the morning. Suppers at St. Petersburg are very fashionable, and continue until nearly dawn. The Russian women are handsome, and have a grace and charm of manner which are very attractive, Their toilets are mostly from Paris.

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Daily Hints to Housekeepers. For hope is good of a cloudy morn

To cheat us of half our sorrow,
And help us cherrily earn today
The light that will come tomorrow. BREAKFAST - Apples, Cracked Wheat, Broiled Salt Mackerel, Fried Corn

Mush. Light Rolls, Ginger Cakes,

DINNER-Veal Cutlets, Mashed Potatoes, Canned Peas, Currant Jelly, White and Graham Bread, Prune Jelly and Cream. SUPPER - Cold Meat Garnished with Parsley, Cranberry Jelly, Bread and Butter, Stewed Apricots, Cake, Tea.

BROILED SALT MACKEREL. Clean, freshen over night in four quarts of water. In the morning drain and cover an hour with sweet milk. Drain; wipe dry, put skin side next to fire. When it begins to parch, turn. Broil slowly; lay on hot platter; butter generously, serve.

Speaking of entertainments in which children appear, an exchange says there are many reasons why public entainments in which children are the only actors are more successful than any other. Parents and friends are always gratified at the opportunity of seeing the little ones appear in public, and so the audience is apt to be a large and not critical one. The mistakes, and even failures, which would be unpardoned in older performers, add to the charm of the doings of children. Therefore many workers for charitable causes are interested in knowing how, when and where they can best utilize pocket of a young man just in front of the attractiveness of childhood without injury to the child. Children enjoy taking part in these affairs, and certainly the discipline of rehearsing with others and gaining self-control in public has a certain educational value not

to be overlooked.

One of the greatest mistakes in organizing and conducting such entertainments consists in not having a definite plan of action. One woman is not systemize her work properly. To begin with, if the programme is to consist of singing and recitations, the organizer of the project should ask three friends to help her-one to drill the children in music, another to attend to the recitations, and a third to take charge of the costumes and all other stage properties, while she herself is left free to manage the business details of the affair. There should always be this division of labor if possible. Under the head of business management come the printing and sale of tickets. advertising, the arrangement of the programme, and securing the place in which to have the entertainment, and consist of a nice selection of her assistants, followed by a discreet letting them alone to do their share of the work in their own way. Many an entertainment has been ruined because a woman at the head of it has not been able to keep from meddling with her aids. If they cannot be trusted to do An Australian correspondent writes to their work, they should not be asked

> Mothers who are confronted weekly with tremendous holes in almost new stockings, and it is remarkable what two days' wear by an active child can accomplish in this respect, will do well to follow the lead of one home darner who has worked out her own salvation in the matter very cleverly. She takes a piece of strong net, bastes it over the hole, and then darns over it, thus accomplishing a neater and stronger darn than in the old way, and in a shorter time. The same method is successful

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Ladies' Black and White Sailor

15c EACH

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A New Line of Apron Muslin, hemstitched tucked and embroidered insertion,

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Fancy Apron Linen, embroidered in Red and Blue, 25c YARD

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Only 5c Each

A splendid line of Ladies' White Undervests, short sleeves, large

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GOOD DEAL FOR DULUTH.

Canal Scheme Involving an Expenditure of \$12,000,000.

DULUTH, Minn., April 17.-A deal has been closed in New York which insures the expenditure of \$12,500,000 in Duluth. A number of New York capitalists have agreed to finance the Minnesota Canal Company, taking its bonds for the amount furnished.

The company proposes to open up 200 miles of canal and river front for navigation and power purposes.

THE FACTS SUBSTANTIATED.

The Truth of Mrs. Dowly's Complete Re-

covery Fully Borne Out. OWEN SOUND, April 19 .- A letter received by a resident fully substantiates the reported recovery of Mrs. Dowly, whose husband formerly resided on Peel street in this town. It appears that about six months ago Mrs. Dowly became convinced that the trouble from which she was suffering arose entirely from an unhealthy condition of the kidneys, and, this fact once determined, the rest was easy. Having read and heard a good deal of the great benefits which had resulted to others from the use of Dodd's

boxes of the remedy she found her healh entirely restored. ABDUCTED A FAMILY. GREENSBURG, Pa., April 18.—Mrs. Jules Hollis, wife of a miner at Hunker. and her three children were abducted on Tuesday night by a half-bred Indian named Joe Dupont, who has been loitering in the vicinity of the Hollis home a few days.

own, she at once made trial of them,

with the result that after taking four

Are you all tired out, do you have that tired feeling, or sick headache? You can be relieved of all of these by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. The world's population increases at the rate of 1 per cent per annum.

A few grains of borax put into milk

will prevent it from becoming sour. PARMELEE'S PILLS possess the power of acting specifically upon the diseased organs, stimulating to action the dormant energies of the system, thereby removing disease. In fact, so great is the power of this medicine to cleanse and purify, that diseases of almost every name and nature are driven from the body. Mr. D. Carswell, of Carswell postoffice. Ont., writes: "I Carswell postoffice, Ont., writes: have used Parmelee's Pills, and find them an excellent medicine, and one that will sell well."

Half of the world's product of quinine is used in the United States. All Recommend It.

Ask you physician your druggist and your friends about Shiloh's Cure for Consumption.
They will recommend it. For sale by W. T.

The feeding expenses of the animals in the London Zoo are \$500 weekly. Insurance official-Of what complain did your father die? Applicant-The jury found him guilty.

A Cracuete of the University Says:

Between Temperance Workers and Hotel Keepers

Before the License Commissioners of the City.

The Request that Bars Close at 9 O'Clock Denied,

Pending Legislative Action-Hotel Men Asked an Extension Until 11 O'Clock-Charges of Lax Enforcement of the Law Made and Replied To.

The license commissioners for the city of London met this morning in the front rooms of Inspector Henderson's house was present, consisting of Mr. Dan Regan (chairman), George M. Reid and C. H. Elliott. Mr. R. K. Cowan was present in the interests of the license holders, and they themselves occupied seats in the front room. The temperance forward when they had anything to say. Indorsed the requests of Mr. Gundy.

THE OTHER SIDE. tives from the Women's Christian Temperance Union, the Western Ontario objection taken by the other side was Prohibition Union, the Royal Templars that of lax enforcement of the law. of Temperance and the Ministerial As- His clients also had a grievance against sociation. There were many familar faces among the ladies, including Mrs. room blinds had to be left up as it was, Thornley, Miss Ella Cosford, Mrs. but even with that the inspector was Darch, Mrs. Keenleyside, Mrs. Ingram, in the habit of entering the houses and Mrs. Woonton, Mrs. Smythe and Mrs. McGarvey. Rev. E. B. Lanceley, Rev. Walter Rigsby, Rev. W. J. Clark, Rev. J. R. Gundy, Rev. A. G. Harris, Rev. Ira Smith, Prof. J. H. Bowman and Fred Daly were also present. Among formed by the license holders that the hotel-keepers in attendance were there had been no illicit drinking go-Messrs. Dan Dewar, Dave Sare, Hum-ing on, and this accounted for the evipidge, McMartin, Ross and a great many others.

NO ILL FEELING. The scene enacted between 10 o'clock and 11:15 was similar to a great extent resulted in the establishment of illicit to those that have taken place for a drinking places all over the city. It number of years past, and bitterness also resulted in the establishment of of feeling appeared to be entirely absent. The members of the opposing factories to the increased temperance tions even shook hands with one an- sentiment, he said that that was one

"You are too good a man to be in this

yet withal good-natured reply. It was probably an oversight which will no doubt be rectified at the next the licenses or hours. gathering, but the commissioners ne- "BULLDOZING" AND glected to spring their little joke about "looking for your appearance as regularly as we do the robins in the springtime." Then all would laugh, and afterwards proceed to business. This time the business started without any alluvery, their actions were no worse than the business started without any alluvery, their actions were no worse than the business started without any alluvery. either, for that matter.

The temperance people argued for a further reduction of hours of selling until 9 o'clock standard time and for a reduction in the number of licenses granted. No places were mentioned, but it was hinted that outlying places and those who had repeatedly violated the law would be preferable. THE INSPECTOR'S TRYING POSI-

TION. Inspector Henderson found cannons to the right of him and cannons to the left of him, and his position was nearly as trying as that of the Noble Six Hundred. He was charged by the temperance people with being lax and by the hotel-keepers with being too persistent, and was obliged to defend himself, which he did vigorously. The spectacle was presented of hotel men using stockin-trade temperance arguments as reasons why the request of the temperance people should not be granted. They asked that 11 o'clock be made the hour of closing, and that no more licenses be cut off.

The liquor men were wary in starting, and when Mr. Regan announced that they were ready for business Rev. J. R. Gundy said, seeing that the license holders were there first, perhaps they would like to speak first.

Mr. R. K. Cowan, representing the license men, said that they had "opened the ball" last year and thought the other side should speak first on this THE TEMPERANCE REQUESTS.

Mr. Gundy said that he had no objection. The first matter he wished to draw their attention to was a reduction of the present hours of selling. He detailed the history of the early closing movement in the city, and explained that when the commissioners had ordered the saloons to close at 10 o'clock the license holders took advantage of a technical point and remained open until 10:27. He asked that in view of the increased and developed temperance sentiment, and in view of the majority recorded in favor of prohibition in this city, that the saloons be closed at 9 o'clock in the evening. The worst hours of the traffic, he said. were from 7 to 11 (and often after that

Then he asked for a further reduction in the number of licenses issued, and spoke of the filibustering on the part of the license holders by which one of the aldermen (Parnell) was unseated at a critical time when the cutting off of five licenses was pending. This made possible for other members by with-

FRUSTRATE THE MOVEMENT. It might be said that they should be satisfied with concessions they had already obtained, but he assured them that they should be said that they should be said they said they should be that they could not be satisfied until the evil was altogether wiped out. This that there was illicit selling, and the had to be done gradually. He would not officers of the law should look after it. specify any particular places, but said that he thought outlying places of certain unfavorable notoriety should not have their licenses renewed. This should apply also where the law had been re- speak, had had his say. peatedly violated, and where gambling had been allowed. He spoke strongly in regard to the enforcement of the law, and charged laxity on the part of the inspector. They had very strong and with lady friends. reasons to suspect a withdrawal of persistent effort during the past year or exercise their authority and see that

the law was vigorously enforced. REV. W. J. CLARK. Rev. W. J. Clark said there was no use in multiplying words, and Mr. Gundy had placed the matter before them so clearly that he had not much to say. He assured the hotel men that there was no personal feeling against them, but added that they had decided opposition to the business and wished to see it reduced to a minimum and wiped out altogether if possible. He thought that they had very strong evidence to show that the more the business is reduced the better it is for the "My children have been treated with Scott's Emulsion from their earliest years! Our physician first recommendated it, and now whenever a child takes cold my wife immediately resorts to this remedy, which always effects a cure,"

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good in advocating these measures, as by the law and the liquor kept away well as for the good of the community from them. He also asked that "agen-

MRS. THORNLEY'S GRIEVANCE. "You all know the attitude of the W.C. T. U. towards the traffic," said Mrs. Thornley. "We have felt as temperance people that we have had grievances this past year—grievances which I will not specify but which will be manifest to your own mind."

Then with characteristic energy and eloquence Mrs. Thornley went on to entreat the commissioners to rather consider the requests of the very much larger section of the community as represented by the temperance delegates than those of the minority. Especially were they anxious for the enforcement of the law. There was no question in their mind that there had been a lax enforcement for many months past. Of this they had indubitable proof, but it was of such a nature, coming as it did from the wives and sisters and children of the sufferers, that it could not be used in prosecution because of the consequences that would be visited upon the families in their homes.

"And we make the appeal to you," said Mrs. Thornley, "to see that the law in our city is very much better enon Queen's avenue to listen to the annual delegations from the temperance Fear." Then she explained that under people and license holders. A full board present construction of the law a hotel man might be convicted of illicit selling three times and yet have the offenses entered so as not to appear as similar offenses, while they were, to the eye of common sense. She would like to have this made an impossibility, so that when a hotel-keeper had three violations registered against him, delegation occupied the rear room, but of whatever kind, he would lose his the speakers were not slow in coming license. In conclusion Mrs. Thornley

Mr. R. K. Cowan, on behalf of the license holders, said that the principal the inspector. He was too persistent, and most disagreeably so. The bargoing from room to room searching for illicit drinking. Even where a boarder was entertaining a few friends he demanded admission to the room whether they were drinking or not. He was indent laxity of the inspector. Instead of reducing the hours he asked that they be increased to 11 o'clock, and alleged that the shortening of the hours other, and one minister said to a hotel reason why the hours should be increased. The increased sentiment would enable the public to withstand the temptation. It was only by a gen-"Oh, I don't know," came the laconic eral inculcation of the temperance sentiment that the traffic would ever be done away with, and not by reducing "BULLDOZING" AND "THREATEN-

ING." Mr. Cowan deprecated the fact that aldermen should not have back-bone sion to red robins, or round robins, the actions of the temperance people, who bulldozed and threatened candidates at election times. Happily, in his official capacity he was not subjected to that. Then he was an advocate of waer pure and simple. (Laughter.)

As for reducing the licenses to a minimum, they had been, he assured Mr. Clark, reduced below the minimum long, long ago. Mr. Clark had also mentioned that if a person had not time enough to quench his thirst by 9 o'clock he should finish by drinking in his own private house, and Mr. Cowan assured Mr. Clark that the majority of citizens could not afford to "lay in" a dozen of ale of a gallon of whisky, and even where they could it was very poor satisfaction having a drink at home alone.

Mr. Clark-So it is anywhere else. (Laughter.)

Mr. Cowan-But where you have company it's very agreeable at times. In conclusion Mr. Cowan said that London was the only city in the Province where the bars closed earlier than 11 o'clock. Why should such a progressive city be behind the times?

ANSWERING ARGUMENTS. Rev. J. R. Gundy took up Mr. Cowan's statement that all the illicit licensed places had originated because of the cutting off of half an hour. Mr. Cowan or anybody in the room did not believe

Mr. Cowan-An hour and a half was

Rev. J. R. Gundy-Only half an hour.

Mr. Cowan—But they were open un-til 12 o'clock five years ago. Rev. J. R. Gundy-I understood Mr. Cowan to say that the reduction of the time within these last two years had

resulted in this evil. If these places existed they should be dealt with by law. Mr. Gundy again argued in favor of shorter hours and of reducing the number of licenses. He pointed out that Toronto had fewer licenses in proportion to population and the law was very much better enforced there. There was also on foot in Toronto a 9 o'clock movement. IN THE FOREFRONT.

"We want to be in the forefront," said Mr. Gundy, "but in the forefront of morality, and not in extending the time of selling and the immorality which would necessarily follow.' He again complained that the inspec-

tor was not giving his attention to the work, and said that one of the neces sary things to increase the temperance sentiment was to crystallize that sentiment in law. He asked that no new licenses be granted, and that transfers be not allowed, but those licenses per-

OTHER ARGUMENTS. Rev. Walter Rigsby pointed out that both parties were a unit on the point Inspector Henderson asked permission to say something, but the chairman asked him to defer his remarks until Mr. Sare, who had evinced a desire to

Mr. Sare spoke about the evils of young men's clubs, where every member had a duplicate key and went in and out of these places at all hours Mr. Dan Dewar said that by closing

up the bar-rooms at 10 o'clock it drove so, and he asked the commissioners to men whose thirst was not satisfied and who would walk any distance for a drink, to form into clubs of, say, fifteen, hire a room, buy their liquor, and drink until 1 or 2 o'clock in the morning. By reducing the hours and curtailing the traffic, and not educating the people up to that standard the temperance people drove men to this illicit and more harmful manner of drinking.

Mr. Fred Daly took Mr. Dewar some what to task in accusing the temperance people of not educating the peo ple. Would the hotel men go with them in that effort to educate the peo-

from them. He also asked that "agencies" which were in force a couple of years ago be again brought into requisition.

Mr. Cowan-If that means whisky detectives, I would ask that that point be not countenanced whatever. It's a degradation of the law.

MR. HENDERSON'S DEFENSE. Chairman Regan explained that the ommissioners did not control the inpector, but the Government did. Inspector Henderson said that he appeared to be between two fires, but his conscience was clear. He had been trying to enforce the law this last year, as he had done for nineteen years past. He had made 700 visits during the last quarter. It was not to be supposed that the hotel-keepers would let him into rooms where liquor was sold. If it was thought that he was shirking his duty it was in the hands of the community to petition the Government and the commissioners were empowered to take evidence under oath. The leaving up of the blinds, while all very good to show light into the bar-room, it drove those who were inclined to sell to do so in other parts of the building. He mentioned that he received word that one man was selling after hours, and after watching for a long time and be-

assured him of his innocence. Some parties delayed their information until two months after the alleged offenses were committed. He told of the unsuccessful work of two whisky detectives two years ago, and said that as a whole the hotel-keepers were observing the law better. MR. REGAN SUMS UP. Prof. Bowman said that he did not hink it was Mr. Henderson's place to have told the hotel-keeper anything. and then Mr. Regan summed up. He said that the commissioners would take the matters into heir serious con-

ing assured that it was not so, he told

the hotel man about it, and the latter

sideration. He pointed out that if Mrs. l'hornley's request anent three violations were acquiesced in it would be a manifest injustice and pecuniary oss to some people. With reference to earlier closing, it was the intention, he thought, of the Ontario Government to introduce a bill to establish a uniform closing hour throughout the Province. He thought it would be unfair to close the bars at 9 o'clock in the city, when they remained open until 12 o'clock in London West. It would be, perhaps, best not to disturb the existing hours until after the next session, pending the Government's decision.

The meeting then adjourned.

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Among the fads of the day in the United States and Canada is that of a permission to run one issue of a daily newspaper at their own sweet willthe extra profits to go to some benevolent cause. Some scores of special issues have been got out in this way The latest is the "Woman's Globe," of Toronto, the result being most creditable in every respect. One of the minor incidents was the entertaining of the whole lady staff at luncheon by the members of the Globe's regular staff. On that day the regular staff got through their duties somewhat after the luxurious style in which Mark Twain said he liked to engage in harvesting, namely, to sit under a tree and watch the rest at work.

Principal Grant says that government of a mixed people must be government by compromise.

And now Mexico, the land of Cortez, is to have a World's Exhibition in the City of Mexico. From the prospectus issued, the show will be worth attend-

The Ottawa Bill of Fare contains several spiced dishes, including the Deficit, the Manitoba School Question, and the proposed absorption of Newfoundland into the Dominion. No one of the foregoing is a smooth question. The results of the four bye-elections can hardly conduce to governmental hilarity. Strict economy, we are told in the Speech, is recognized as necessary in every branch of the public service. As to what Ministers really mean by the phrase, strict economy, we may be better able to judge by the time Parliament prorogues.

As we anticipated, the European differ with Lord Rosebery on certain powers are much concerned over what may follow after the conclusion of peace between Japan and China. It is recognized that a new era may have dawned upon history, and that the issue, under the leadership of Japan, may be that of "Asia against Europe, the Yellow organized against the White." In that event Europe, the American continent, and the Australias, would have a common interest. Mr. Henry Norman, whose recent book on the East has attracted much attention, says: "Consider what a Japangoverned China would be. Think what the Chinese are. Think of their powers of silent endurance under suffering and cruelty; think of their patient perseverance, their slow, dogged persistence, their recklessness of life. Fancy this people ruled by a nation of born organsers, who, half allied to them, would understand their temperament and their habits. The Oriental, with his power of retaining heaith under conditions under which no European could live, with his savage daring when roused, with his inborn cunning, lacks only the superior knowledge of civilization to be the equal of the European in warfare as well as in industry." Hitherto it has been as true of the United States as Mr. Norman says it is of England, that men do not realize that "in a Japanese dynasty such a civilization would exist; we have not yet learned to look upon the Mikado as a civilized monarch, as we look upon the Czar. Yet such he is, undoubtedly. Under him the dreams of the supremacy of the yellow race in Asia, Europe and even Africa, to which Dr. Pearson and others have given expression,

England or Germany or Russia is to be the next world ruler, we might have to learn that Japan was on its way to

The question is being discussed as to whether the nude "living pictures" in American and English theaters are art? They are not art; and in the motives that have prompted their production on the stage, art is the last thing that has been considered. Art cant is not less objectionable than religious cant.

Mr. A. H. Bates, editor of the "Star" (Montreal) Almanac, dropped in the other day to show us the volume of Canadian flowers now being issued in numbers. Two hundred and eightyeight flowers are represented, in eighteen parts of sixteen colored pictures each. The various subdivisions of the flowers are given as marginal wood-cuts. The names and descriptions are given both popularly and scientifically. Canadians are under distinct obligations to the "Star" management for the production of this beautiful and truly national work.

Prof. Clark writes in "The Week" that the proper way to settle the longdisputed question of religious instruction in schools is to pay by results to all schools, public or separate, and then lay upon the ministers or deputed representatives of each religious body the work of gathering the scholars of his cwn ilk together in a room at a certain time for 20 or 30 minutes' religious instruction. It has been suggested that this work could in some cases be jointly attended to, as, for example, if the Presbyterians, Methodists, Baptists and Congregationalists could make combined arrangements, and thus lighten the labor. Is this to be the solution?

Dr. De Bossy, a French physician, is now 102 years of age. But did he take his own medicine?

A potato weighing 86 pounds has een exhibited by Mr. J. C. Swan, of Colorado. It must be so, for the picture of the man, with the big potato on his shoulder, and an accompanying affidavit, all appear in the Boston

Mr. S. H. Lazier, of Hamilton, president of the Ontario Educational Association, says "it would be a grand thing to have one school system all over the country." We like glittering generalstaff of women asking and obtaining ities, and, therefore, like Mr. Lazier's observation. But would he kindly state how he proposes to attain his object? If everybody thought alike there would be no difficulty.

We suppose the Hon. G. W. Ross is today the best all-round orator in Canada. In his last educational speech he stated that it costs \$8 54 to educate a child, \$91 28 to keep a prisoner in jail, \$187 to keep a prisoner in the Central Prison. Everyone interested in moral reform should stow these figures away for future use.

New York State clergymen are not enamored of the proposal to make military drill in the public schools compulsory. The New York Nation also speaks out stiffly, as follows:

"The proposal springs from the same senseless and brutal war spirit that is making wreck of so many public reputations, and continually threatens to embroil us with other nations. What its promoters really have in mind is, not physical exercise, not parades and displays, but the spreading in childish minds of the idea that fighting is the noblest occupation of man, that we are all the while exposed to insults and aggressions, and must be ready to whip all creation on call. Now, the boys have too much of this idea already. It is in their minds that the furibund patriotism of Lodge and Frye finds most admiration-in fact, so far as we have observed, its only admiration. What they need, together with their fellow-juveniles in the United States Senate, is, not military drill, but instruction in good manners, in the arts and love of peace, and in ambition to make the country decent and habitable instead of feared."

"DIFFER WITH" IS ALL RIGHT. A week or two ago I made a confession in these columns. It was that I task by one of my readers, not for differing, but for differing "with" his Lordship, when I should have differed "from" him. My critic asks whether to "differ with" is not "a somewhat vulgar solecism. Such questions have, I confess, but little interest for me. I am a Philistine. As such, I am content to take the English language as I find it in daily use among my fellow-countrymen of average education, without much regard to the usage of previous generations, recorded in the literary remains of Englishmen dead and gone.-London Truth.

PROTECTION AND WAGES.

If it's protection that regulates wages the rate should be the same with the same circumstances and the same tariff. How is it then that the three lime kilns situate in the county of Hochelaga, according to the census, were able or compelled to pay \$20,500 in wages to the 53 men they employed, while the three kilns situated in Montreal and employing exactly the same number of men, paid only \$15,700 in wages during the census year. It cannot be said that the Hochelaga men were better than the Montreal men, because with \$20,-000 of raw material they produced only \$79,000 of lime, while the Montreal men, with the same quantity of raw material, produced \$15,000 worth.

Again, 119 men employed in the saw mills in Hochelaga county earned \$257 each during the year, while 138 men following the same occupation within the limits of the city received \$441 each. In the presence of such facts, the least that a protectionist can do is to admit that the figures of the census concerning manufactures are entirely worth-

less, or that protection does not regu-

late wages at all. And either of these admissions will knock the bottom out of many of his arguments. For instance, it is recorded in the official statistics of the respective countries that the average wages of the op-eratives in cotton factories in England are \$1 17 a day, in Vermont (United States), \$1 15 a day, and in Canada

House and Lobby—



A Brilliant Opening of Parliament-The Governor General on His High Horse-Lady Aberdeen Accompanies Him-Noted Omissions from the Speech from the Throne-Coming Legislation-The Liberal Victories Discussed—Mr. Laurier and His Friends Elated.

[Specially Telegraphed by Our Own Representative.)

Parliament this afternoon was unusually brilliant. The custom is to have erals shall only have an allowance of Parliament meet while the capital is mantled in snow. Today the warm sun shone down upon the bare soil waiting to be coaxed into summer growth, therefore the spectacle presented by the Governor-General and his retinue as they journeyed from Rideau Hall to the Parliament Buildings was witnessed by crow increased by thousands over those of any previous opening. Lord Aberdeen believes with Bagehot, the English Radical writer. that a very considerable section in every community, no matter how democratic, can best be made to reflect on governmental affairs and the relations of the state and the people by such displays as the procession of today. Certain it is that the pageant was a striking one. The first indication that Lord Aberdeen would arrive promptly at 3 was the appearance of the nodding plumes and flashing helmets of the Princess Louise Dragoon Guards, the Governor-General's escort, the advance guard of which no sooner galloped up Wellington street than the big guns at Nepean Point were set booming by the detachment of the Ottawa Field Battery. As the vice-regal party dashed up the band played the National Anthem, and the multitude cheered. The vice-regal carriage was drawn by four horses, and astride the first two were outriders in livery, with white breeches and top boots. In the carriage were Lord Aberdeen, Capt. Urquhart and Secretary Arthur Gordon. In other carriages were Lady Aberdeen, her sisterin-law, Lady Tweedmenth, Hon. Dud-ley Majoribanks, and his fiance, Miss Mysie Brown, of Tennessee, and a number of aides and Government officials.

When Lord Aberdeen took his seat on the Senate dais, the Senate chamber and; galleries were crowded with spectators, including many ladies in striking costumes. Among them were Madame Laurier. Then a dapper little fellow, ted. Three more bobs from him. Then he remarked that the Governor-General desired the Commoners to meet him in the other chamber. Away trooped the majority of the M. P.s, apparently concluding that as the Governor would not

hand and resplendent in his gold-trimmed uniform, received the members at the bar. They were not allowed to sit on the sacred seats of the Senators, who made but a poor showing in point of pite the herculean efforts of the men in numbers. They stood patiently at the power to make the Manitoba issue the bar while his Excellency read the speech prepared for him, first in English and then in well-rounded French. That finished, the Governor took his departure, the Commoners withdrew, and the Senate, out of respect to the memory of the late Premier, and also because they had really nothing else to do, adjourned till Monday. The House of Commons also adjourned without taking up any business, on motion of Mr. Foster, who thus assumed his duty as leader. Out of respect to the memory of the late Sir John Thompson and of the late Mr. Geoffrion, their respective seats were left vacant today and beautiful floral wreaths were laid on them. The reply to the address will be moved by Mr. Bennett, Center Simcoe, and seconded by Mr. Girouard, Two Mountains. They will speak tomorrow (Friday), followed by others. I hear it is likely the debate will last for several days.

Hon. David Mills was an invited guest at the State dinner given at Rideau Hall last night. It was a spectacular affair and was followed by a ball. The costumes of the ladies will interest Western readers: Lord Aberdeen wore points. I have been severely taken to a handsome scarlet uniform. Lady Aberdeen's dress was a beautiful brocade of pale blue and yellow; the bodice trimmed with blue tulle. She wore her tiara of diamonds and other diamond ornaments, as well as a beautiful necklet of emeralds set in diamonds. Her Excellency was attended by two charming pages in blue velvet with white ruff and caps with white ostrich plumes. Lady Tweedmouth wore a handsome gown of black moire. She also wore beautiful diamonds. Mrs. Gordon, of Ellon, wore black silk covered with flowered net and trimmed with bands of irridescent passimentery. Hon. Mrs. Herbert wore a beautiful gown of pale pink satin with flounces of fine pointe d'alcon and ornamented with silver beads. She wore also a necklet of diamonds and a collar of pearls. Mrs. Sanford, of Hamilton, wore grey brocade with a Medici collar of grey velvet. Miss Sanford was greatly admired in bright red silk, covered with chiffon. Mrs. Carling, pink silk gown. Mrs. Fred. Carling,, gown of yellow satin, white lace falling over the sleeves and bodice.

Surprise is expressed that no mention is made in the speech from the throne of the proposed grant of \$2,500,000 to the Hudson Bay Railway. I hear that it has purposely been kept out, in order, if possible, to prevent discussion on it till the closing hours of the session. Speculation has also taken place with regard to the quiet line attached to a paragraph in the address, which announces legislation as to the C. P. R. land grant. The company has 17,000,000 acres of Northwest land, and it is rumored here that a proposition is on foot looking to the Government taking back a portion of the land, and granting in lieu thereof several million dollars. Another report is that an immigration proposition is hitched on to the docu-

Mr. Mulock, in a motion which he will soon bring up makes a strong case in favor of a change regarding the Governor-General's office. He points out that would be no longer mere nightmares. only 83 cents a day, or \$247 a year of since 1867 the office has cost \$2,851,917, and average of \$114,076 a year, or \$65,410 Send postage stamp for reply.

OTTAWA, April 18.—The opening of 1 a year more than the salary of \$50,000 stipulated. For this reason Mr. Edgar proposes that all future Governor-Gen-\$25,000 a year. Mr. Mulock will also bring in a measure to prevent M P.s from accepting free passes from railway companies.

> Mr. Casey will ask for a return of all petitions from councils for legislation to facilitate drainage across railways.

It is noteworthy in the speech from the throne that the Government announce their demand on Manitoba regarding the schools is a decision-not a suggeston, as has been stated by various Conservative journals in Ontario.

Mr. McMullen will move in favor of abolishing the superannuation system, and Mr. Edgar will call attention to the superannuation question.

OTTAWA, April 18.—Tonight I interviewed several leading M. P.s on the results of the bye-elections. Hon. David Mills said: "The bye-elections are undoubtedly a tremendous blow for the Government. Three out of the four candidates were opposed by those in power, and the fourth, with the usual courtesy extended to a Minister in the last year of a Parliament, was not opposed by the Liberals. Members of the Government, discovering during their recent tour that they had lost ground en-ormously, passed the remedial order relating to Manitoba's school law solely for the purpose of trying to win Roman Catholic votes back to allegiance to them. These voters they knew they had alienated by their policy in the Ontario elections. The questions of tariff reduction, freer trade and reform of administrative abuses were discussed by Liberal candidates and their friends in Antigonish, West Quebec and Vercheres, but they were wholly ignored by the Government candidates, and the sole question brought forward was the Manitoba remedial legislation. These constituencies were strongly Roman Cath olic, and the Government sustained a defeat in each. The people are tired of the present regime and the recent at-tempt to divert their attention from issues of long standing which affect the with his head slightly turned to one material interests of the country has side, appeared at the entrance door to the House of Commons chamber, gave the most favorable circumstances. No three loud raps, and being answered ting but blundering on the part of the by the sergeant-at-arms, announced Liberals—to which they are not likely that he had a message. He was admit- to give way-can reverse the current of

events in favor a change. Dr. Borden, a leading Nova Scotia M. P., told me the carrying of the late Sir John Thompson's constituency by a Liberal was an evidence of the great change that was impending, not only come to them it was their duty to go in that Province, but all over the Doto him, and hastened to the red cham- minion. The remedial order was passed to deceive the electors in the bye-elections, but they refused to change their The Governor-General, cocked hat in decided convictions in favor of trade freedom by any such expedient.

Mr. J. D. Edgar: "The result must startle the Government. The general policy of the Government has been condemned in three out of four cases, des-

Mr. Casey (West Elgin): "The result will have a tendency to remove religious bitterness and dissension from the general election contest. The school issue will not be allowed to obscure all

John Charlton, M.P., is ready to promote several reforms to which he has recently devoted his talents. Tonight he gives notice of three bills. One is to amend the Franchse Act by repealing it wholly, and substituting for it in each Province the various provincial franchise measures in force in each country. Another is to provide for a better observance of the Sabbath; and a third is for the raising of the age of consent to 18, and under promise of marriage to 21. Mr. Charlton will also ask for all papers relating to the Manitoba school question.

C. S. Hyman, M. P. for London, who was here yesterday, has gone to Montreal on business. Mr. Hyman was warmly welcomed by Mr. Laurier and many other friends here.

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4th-7 pieces Check Dress Goods, very neat small check, in brown, fawn and gray, worth 45c, for 35c.

5th—10 pieces Colored Serges, all wool, in dark cardinal, navy, brown and green, good value at 45c, Friday 37 1/2c.

6th—10 pieces All-wool Satin Cloth, extra quality, worth 65c, for 50c.

7th-6 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, choice material for spring and summer, Dress Goods worth 65c, for 50c. 8th-7 pieces Colored Henrietta, 46 inches wide, all wool, beautiful goods,

worth 50c, for 39c. 9th-10 pieces Colored Cashmere, nice silk finish, worth 35c, for 3oc.

10th—80 pieces Colored Serge, all wool, double fold, good assortment of colors, on Bargain Day for 25c.

11th—10 pairs Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, on Bargain Day for 750 12th-10 pairs Lace Curtains, 31/2 yards long, beautiful designs, worth

13th—6 pieces Pongee Silk, a bargain at 25c, Friday for 20c. 14th—10 pieces China Silk, beautiful assortment of colors, worth 75c, for

Staple Department,

16th—Chenille Table Covers, 11/2 yards square, worth \$1 50, for \$1. 17th—Fine Dress Sateens, light and dark colors, worth 20c, for 121/2c. 18th-Wide Scotch Chambrays, in pink, blue, plain, striped and checks, worth 15c for 121/2c.

19th—Bleached Sheeting, plain or twill, 21/2 yards wide, worth 38c, for 30c. 20th—Tapestry Table Covers, 21/2 yards long, worth \$1 25, for \$1. 21st—Unbleached Damask Tablecloths, colored borders, worth \$1 50, for \$1.

22nd—Bleached Twill Cotton, fine, 36 inches wide, worth 17c, for 121/2c. 23rd—All-wool Navy Serge, for boys' wear, worth 38c, for 3oc.

24th—White Honeycomb Quilts worth \$2, for \$1 59. 25th—Strong Wool Tweed for boys' suits, worth 38c, for 3oc.

26th—Chenille Table Covers, 2 yards square, worth \$3, for \$2. 27th—Bleached Canton Flannel, worth 15c, for 10c. 28th—White Dotted Muslin, worth 10c, for 7 1-2c; worth 12 1-2c, for 8 1-2c;

worth 15c for 10c. 29th—Victoria Lawn, 40 inches wide, worth 121/2c, for 10c.

33rd—Colored Garter Elastic, worth 10c, for 6c.

Small Ware Department.

30th—I table Dress Laces, 5 to 7 inches wide, worth 18c for 12 1-2c. 31st-Ladies' Colored and Black Kid Gloves, all sizes, today 35c. 32nd—Black Silk Gloria Parasols, black and colored handles, worth \$1 25,

34th-Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, spliced heel and toe, fast dye, worte 25c,

35th-Ladies' White Cotton Night Robes, lace trimmed, worth 50c, for 38c

36th—Ladies Colored Taffeta Gloves, worth 25c for 15c.

37th—Children's Lisle Gloves, black and colored, worth 15c, for 10c. 38th—Colored Windsor Ties, worth 25c, for 17c.

39th-Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, lace trimmed, worth 25c, for 20c. 40th—Ladies' White Cotton Corset Covers, worth 25c, for 17c. 41st-Fancy Embroidered Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 10c, for 5c. 42nd-Children's Bibs, white embroidered, lace trimmed, worth 10c, for 5c.

43rd—Mottled Soap, large bars, worth 5c, 10 for 25c. 44-White Glassware Sets, 4 pieces to set, worth 40c, for 25c.

Gents' Furnishings

45th-Men's Fine Ribbed Cashmere Socks, worth 50c, for 38c. 46th—Men's Heavy Seamless Cotton Socks, ribbed tops, worth 12 1-2c

47th-Men's Fine Suspenders, worth 35c, for 25c. 48th-Men's Fine Merino Shirts and Drawers, worth 35c, for 25c. 49th-Men's Black Sateen Shirts, worth 75c, for 65c. 50th-Boys' Brown and Blue Felt Hats, worth 45c, for 35c. 51st-Boys' Black Sateen Shirts, worth 65c for 50c. 52nd-Men's Fancy Ceylon Flannel Shirts, worth 50c, for 39c.

Clothing Department,

53rd-Men's Tweed Suits, odd lines, worth \$10 and \$12, for \$7 75. 54th-Men's All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$8 25, for \$6. 55th-Men's All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$6, for \$4 25. 56th—Boys' 3-Piece Fine Tweed Suits, worth \$4 50, for \$3 50. 57th-Boys' 3-Piece Tweed Suits, worth \$3 50, for \$2 25. 58th—Boys' All-wool Tweed Suits, worth \$3 75, for \$2 49. 59th—Boys' Blue Serge Suits, worth \$2, for \$1 49. 60th-Boys' School Pants, worth 65c, for 50c. 61st-Men's Tweed Pants, worth \$2 25, for \$1 50. 62nd-Men's Fine All-wool Tweed Pants, worth \$2 75, for \$2.

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National League Season.

Results of Thursday's Racing at New= market, Eng.

Death From Injuries Received in a Football Game.

BASEBALL: NATIONAL LEAGUE SEASON

OPENED. BUFFALO, N. Y., April 18. — The National League baseball season opened today with all the games scheduled. Weather fine and attendance large at all points. At Baltimore the attendance was 14,000.

Philadelphia R. H. E Philadelphia 7 16 2 Baltimore 6 9 1 Batteries—Taylor and Clements; Esper and future most encouraging.
Robinson. Umpires—Murray and Campbell. Letters of greeting were read from At New York-The game was called at

the end of the eighth inning because of darkness. Over 20,000 people were on the grounds. Mayor Strong threw the first ball into the field. Score: Brooklyn 7 13 2 New York 4 7 2

Batteries-Kennedy and Grim; Rusie and Fatreil. Umpire-Lynch. At Cincinnati - The attendance was 13,000. The game was opened with a speech by Mayor Caldwell. Score:

At Louisville-

Batteries-Inks and Welch: Killen, Hart an Kinslow. Umpire-McDonald.

Batteries-Griffith and Kittredge; Breitenstein and Peitz. Umpire-Betts. The Bostons and Washingtons were not scheduled today. They open their season

TORONTO DEFEATED CORNELL.

ITHACA, N. Y., April 18.—In a very pretty game of baseball today the Toronto Eastern League defeated Cornell. The Toronto players played genuine ball from start to finish, their fielding being extraordinary. The fielding of Cornell was also good, although five errors are charged

against them. The batting on both sides was lamentably weak, and in the majority of cases those who reached first base did so on errors. Score:

Batteries-Southard, Grey and Casey; Smith, Cobb and Priest.

BUCOLIC BALL.

ton and Providence was a slugging match in which the representatives of the big league carried off the honor. Providence-Today's game between Boscarried off the honors. Score:

 Boston
 18
 22
 1

 Providence
 11
 16
 4

 Batteries—Sullivan and Nichols; Dolan and
 Tenny; Egan, Rudderham and McAuley. At Fall River, Mass.—
Fall River. 16
Cuban Giants. 4

BALL PLAYER KILLED. BLOOMSBURG, Pa., April 18.-Walter S. Hays, a State League baseball player, was stabbed and killed late last night by Casper Thomas, 79 years old. Hays threatened to murder the old man, whereupon the latter turned upon his would-be slayer and killed

him in self-defense.

LACROSSE. THE SEAFORTH BEAVERS. SEAFORTH, April 18.—The reorganization and election of officers of the junior Beaver Lacrosse Club, Seaforth, resulted as follows: Honorary president, George E. Jackson; president, Brown Jackson; vicepresident, Jack Smith; secretary-treasurer, A. D. Sutherland; captain, George Boyd; committee, A. Bethune, P. Mulcahy, A. Box, J. Sutherland, Thos. Johntson; W. Payne and J. Clennan.

THE TURF. RACING IN ENGLAND. LONDON, April 18 .- At Newmarket to-

day the Craven stakes of 500 sovereigns added to sweepstakes of 10 sovereigns each for 3-year-olds was won by the Duke of Portland's The Owl; Lord Ellesmere's Villier was second and the Duke of Westminster's Cayenne third.

The Ashley plate of 200 sovereigns for 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs, was won by Mr. Leopold de Rothschild's Gulistan. Fifteen

The flying handicap for 3 year-olds and upwards was won by Mr. Jewett's Isagon, r. Russell's Chatmoss (3 years) second, the bay filly, Confessional (3 years), Mr. M. F. Dwyer's Stonenell was

Montauk was scratched for the Ashley Plate

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and Banquet and Eau de Galle were LODGE BERESFORD'S CONCERT scratched for the second welter handicap. FOOTBALL.

FATAL RESULTS. CINCINNATI, April 18.—Edward Scripps McRae, 12 years old, son of Milton A. McRae, business manager of the Cincinnati Post, died at the Presbyterian hospital yesterday afternoon, as the result of a shock incident to a surgical operation performed for the relief of an injury sustained last fall while playing a match game of football.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSION

Annual Session of the Woman's Society.

The President's Address - Election of

TORONTO, April 18 .- The nineteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada (western division) was continued in the Central Presbyterian Church yesterday. Two sessions were held. At the morning meeting Mrs. Ewart, the president, delivered her annual address, Mrs. Ewart made references to the steady advancement made by the society during Opening Day of the American the year, and expressed the hope that 1895 and 1896 might see no check in the onward march.

The reports of the Presbyterial sccieties were then read by the ladies named: Ottawa, Miss Harmon; Lanark and Renfrew, Mrs. Campbell; Brockville, Mrs. Greenhill: Glengarry, Mrs. McLennan; Kingston, Mrs. Binnie; Peterboro, Mrs. Graham; Whitby, Mrs. McLachlan; Lindsay, Miss Mc-Lennan; Toronto, Miss George; Barrie, Mrs. Needham; Owen Sound, Mrs. MacLellan; Saugeen, Miss Young; Chatham, Mrs. Lawton; Stratferd, Miss Hamilton; Huron, Mrs. Lyons; Maitland, Mrs. Murray; Bruce, Mrs. Fer-guson; Winniper, Miss McPherson; Brandon, Miss Craig; Guelph, Miss Cant; Orangeville, Mrs. Elliott; Hamilton, Miss Findlay; Paris, Mrs. Mc-Whirter: London, Miss Gunn; Sarnia,

Mrs. Brebner. The reports of those societies not in the Presbyterial order were presented by the home secretary, Mrs. Shortreed. In each case the statement of the pro-E In each case the statement of the pro-2 gress made during the year was very satisfactory, and the prospects for the

the Women's Foreign Mission Board, New York; the Women's Foreign Mission Board of the Northwest; the Board of the Congregational Church in Can-ada; the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of Rat Portage, and the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of Queensland, Australia.

Addresses from representatives sister societies were delivered by Mrs. Scott, of the Woman's Board of Missions, Montreal; Mrs. Long, of the Wo-man's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church; Mrs. Chas. Stark, of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church, and Mrs. Cowan, of the McAll Mission.

The afternoon session opened with a praise and prayer service, conducted by Mrs. Laughton Bothwell, and the Mrs. Harvie presented the annual

report of the foreign missions. It dealt with the work in Trinidad and the New Hebrides, Formosa and Honan (China), Vancouver Island (B. C.), Manitoba and the Northwest Territories and Central India. Although many discouragements and difficuties had been met with, the report as a whole was very satisfactory.

Mrs. Shortreed, home secretary, presented a report, of which the following is a summary: Presbyterials, 21: new auxiliaries (or reorganized), 25; new mission bands (or reorganized), 37; auxiliaries unreported or withdrawn 19; mission bands unreported or withdrawn, 15; total number of auxiliaries, 585; total number of mission bands, 250; auxiliary membership, 12,817; mission band membership, 6,588; yearly members of general society, 3,448; life members added during the year, 80; scattered helpers, 639.

The report of the treasurer, Mrs. Mc-Lennan, showed a balance on hand on April 4 last of \$42,160 73. Mrs. C. M. Jeffrey and Mrs. Agnes Telfer read the reports of supplies to missions and

The following board of management for 1895-6 was elected: Mrs. Ewart, Mrs. Telfer, Mrs. J. J. Bell, Miss J. Caven, Mrs. MacLennar, Miss Telfer, Mrs. McLachlan, Mrs. Crombie, Mrs. Jeffrey, Mrs. G. H. Robinson, Mrs. J Caven, Miss B. MacMurchy, Mrs. Shortreed, Miss Duthie, Mrs. Bertram, Mrs. McGaw, Miss Craig, Mrs. Morti-mer Clark, Miss George, Mrs. Hamil-Mrs. Playfair, Miss Reid, Mrs. Mrs. H. Campbell, Mrs. Carlyle, Mrs. James Park, Mrs. Mutch, Mrs. Maclaren, Mrs. Harvie, Miss Patterson, Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. McClelland, Miss Bethune, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Lee, and

Mrs. Thomas Adams. Mrs. Goforth delivered an interesting address on "Missionary Work in Honan."

In the evening a public meeting was held in Cooke's Church, Mr. Hamilton Cassels ocupied the chair, and scores of people were unable to obtain admission. Rev. Wm. Patierson, pastor, welcomed the delegates on behalf of the Presbyterians of Toronto. He was followed by Rev. R. P. Mackay, secretary of the Foreign Missions Board of the Presbyterian Church, who gave a brief resume of the work of the Woman's Society from its inception in 1877 down to the present year. Rev. J. F. Smith, M.D., of Honan, and Rev. J. Fraser Campbell, of Central India, delivered adresses on the work in those countries. Rev. Dr. Gillespie, of New York, member of the Foreign Mission Foard of the Church in America, also addressed the meeting.

HIS LAST HOPE GONE.

Robert Buchanan Must Expiate His

Crime in the Death Chair. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18 .-The British ambassador, Sir Julian Pauncefote, received a letter this morning from G. W. Gibbon, the attorney for Dr. Robert W. Buchanan, of New York, whose application for a writ of error and supersedeas was denied by the United States Supreme Court yesterday, and who as a consequence will be electrocuted during the week commencing Monday next.

Mr. Gibbon stated that his cient was a British subject; that his trial was conducted according to the constitution of New York and of the United States, and asked the ambassador for that reason to interfere if possible and prevent the execution.

Sir Julian Pauncefote promptly replied that inasmuch as the highest tribunal in the United States had passed upon the matter and overruled the application, he did not see what action he could take in the matter.

If your watch is not right, or you want a good, cheap watch, piece of jewelry or silverware, go to J. E. AD-KINS, the cheapest place in London.

In the City Hall - Some Good Local

Talent Furnishes an Excellent Programme. The City Hall held a fair-sized but very appreciative audience last night, when a concert was given under the

auspices of Beresford Lodge, No. 209, Sons of England Benevolent Society. The talent was of a high class, and the treat was deserving of a bumper house. The male quartet-comprising Messrs. Stewart Huntington, first tenor, formerly of Winnipeg; H. R. Hollinshead, second tenor, lately of St. George; H. Ruthven McDonald, second bass, and A. E. Welch, first bass, of this city—made its first appearance. It proved to be a great acquisition to London's musical circles. "Love's Old Sweet Song" was given, the voices, which were of a decidedly wide range blending harmoniously. An encore was demanded. Miss Evelyn Allen core was demanded. Miss Evelyn Allen in her two selections displayed great talent as a violinist, and Miss Marie Jex pleased in all her recitations. The character songs by Mr. Will Thorne were very catchy. Encores were the order of the evening, and were free-ly responded to. The programme:

Cairman's address
Instrumental—Alice (* antasia)
Miss Evelyn Allen
Recitation—Lasca
Miss Marie Jex.
Baritone solo—Where'er St, George's Banner Wayes

ner Waves. Sullivan
H. Ruthven McDonald.

Recitation-Remembrances of Exhibition Day.

Miss Marie Jex.

Tenor Solo-Forget Me Not.

Stewart Huntington.
Character song-Sucking Cider Thro' a

Straw Will Thorn.

Mrs. H. R. McDonald and Miss Evelyn Allen were the accompanists. The committee of the lodge which had the responsibility of the concert on their hands consisted of A. E. Welch, president, chairman; G. H. Heard, past president; F. W. Leathorn, secretary; Henry Powell, J. Coles, Matt. Ferguson.

A Hint Worth Remembering.

Often you have flowers with stems so short that there is not a dish in the house they will stay in. Then just try this scheme: Cnt a piece of wide-meshed net just big enough to fit inside a jar or bowl. Fill it with water and stick the flowers in through the meshes.

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Local Market. Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son. LONDON, Friday, April 19.
The receipts were light as usual on Friday.
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Ochange in prices. Quotations:

Vheat, white, fall, 100 lbs... \$1 10 to 1 16
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Toronto Market.

WHEAT—White sold on the Northern at 71c, and 72c quoted for spring on Midland; No 1 hard quoted at 85c to 96c, grinding in transit via Sarnia and North Bay.

FLOUR—Holders asking \$3 30 to \$3 35 for straight roller. Toronto freights. straight roller, Toronto freights.

BARLEY—Feed quoted at 45c east, and 44c
west; No. 1 nominal at 43c, and No. 2 at 46c east.
OATS—Quoted at 32½c for mixed, and 33c for white west; cars on track here quoted at 36c to

PEAS—Quoted at f6c on G. T. R. west, and at 55c on C. P. R. west. Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, April 19.—No transactions on the narket to-day. Market very firm. Montreal Produce Market. Montreal Produce Market.

Montreal. April 19.

Solution of the Montreal Montreal

PROVISIONS — Mess pork. \$16 50 to \$17 50; lard, 7c to 9e; bacon. 10e to 11c; hams, 9e to 10e; cheese, 9c to 10e; butter, townships, 16c to 18c, Western, 8c to 10e; eggs, 13c to 14c.

London Money Market. London Floney Flarket.

London, April 19, 12:30 p.m.—Consols, 105 3-16 for money, 105‡ for account; Mexican, 19½; Mexican Central, 65‡; St. Paul, 62½; Erie, 11½; Erie, seconds, 66½; Pacific Central, 52½; Reading, 7½; Canadian Pacific, 45‡; New York Central, 101‡; Illinois Central, 93½; Bank of England rate, 2 per cent; open market discount, 13-16 to ½. The quotations for the past three market

days are as I	OHOWS	:				
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Weather-Partly cloudy. American Markets.

FLOUR—Receipts, 17,000 packages; exports, 14,000 barrels; sales, 18,000 packages; firm; Winter wheat, low grades, \$1 90 to \$2 40; do fair to fancy, \$2 35 to \$2 90; do, patents, \$2 75 to \$3 40; Minnesota crear, \$2 40 to \$2 90; do, straights, \$3 to \$3 40; do, patents, \$3 25 to \$4 10; low extras, \$1 90 to \$2 30; city mills, \$3 35 to \$3 40; do, patents, \$3 35 to \$3 40; do, patents, \$3 90 to \$4; rye mixture, \$2 40 to \$2 70; rye flour firm, \$3 to \$3 30. CORNMEAL—Firm; yellow western, \$2 65 to \$2 70.

RYE-Nominal; western, 50c to 57c. BARLEY-Nominal; western, 60c to 65c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 62c. MALT—Nominal; Canada country-made, 85c

2 Milwaukee, 62c.

MALT—Nominal; Canada country-made, 85c to 90c; western, 65c to 75c; two-rowed State, 70c to 72c; six-rowed do, 75c to 80c.

PEAS—Canada nominal.

WHEAT—Receipts, 5,000 bu; exports, 323,000 bu; sales, 12,765,000 bu futures; 88,000 bu spot; spots firmer; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 63c; afloat, 64c to 66c; No. 1 northern, 70c to 71c; options strong; No. 2 red, May, 63c; June, 63c; July, 64c; Aug., 64c; Sept., 64c; Oct., 65c; July, 64c; Aug., 64c; Sept., 64c; Oct., 65c; Dec., 66c.

CORN—Receipts, none; exports, 33,000 bu; sales, 205,000 bu futures; 36,000 spot; spots firm; No. 2, 49c elevator; 50c afloat: steamer mixed, 49c to 50c; options firm; May, 50c; July, 51c; Sept., 51c.

OATS—Receipts, 65,000 bu; exports, none; sales, 175,000 bu futures; 46,000 bu spot; spots firm; No. 2, 32c; No. 2 white, 35c to 35c; No. 3 alc; No. 3 white, 35c; mixed western, 32c to 33c; No. 3 white, 35c; may, 35c.

FEED BRAN—85c to 90c.

MIDDLINGS—87dc to 90c.

RYE FEED—85c.

HAY—Firm, 70c to 75c.

HOPS—Steady; State, 3c to 10c.

BEEF—Firm; family, \$10 to \$12; extra mess, \$2 to \$85.

\$8 to \$8 50.
CUTMEATS—Firm; pickled bellies, 6\frac{2}{3}c to 7c;
do shoulders, 6c; do hams, 9\frac{1}{3}c to 9\frac{2}{3}c; middles
weak; short clear sides nominal.
LARD—Lower; western steam. \$7 15; refined,
dult; continent, \$7 55; compound, 5\frac{2}{3}c to 6\frac{1}{3}c.
PORK—Steady; mess, \$13 50 to \$14; extra
prime nominal. PORK—Steady; mess, \$13 50 to \$14; extra prime nominal.

BUTTER—Firm; State dairy, 9c to 18c; do creamery, new, 20c; western dairy, 8c to 13½c; do creamery, new, 12c to 20c; do old, 9c to 15c; do factory, 7½c to 11c; Elgins, 20c.

CHEESE—Easy; State large, 7½c to 11½c; do fancy colored, 11c to 11½c; do white, 10½c to 11c; do small, 8c to 11¾c; part skims, 2c to 7c; full skims, 1c to 1½c.

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EGGS—Firm; State and Pennsylvania, 13c; western fresh, 124c to 124c.
TALLOW—Higher; city, 44c; country, 44c PETROLEUM—Nominal; refined, \$11 50; do

PETROLEUM—Nominal; renned, \$11 50; do in bulk, \$8 95 to \$9.

POTATOES—Weak; Jersey, \$1 75 to \$2 00; New York white, \$2 12 to \$2 25; do rose, \$2 25 to \$2 50; Bermuda, \$4 00 to \$8; sweets, \$2 25 to \$2 50; Bermuda, \$4 00 to \$6; Sweets, \$2 50 to \$3 75.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 4½ to 6c.

MOLASSES—Firm; 28c to 38c.

COFFEE—Options strong. Sales: 35,250 bags; including April, \$14 30; May, \$13 90 to \$14 20; June, \$13 80 to \$14 20; July, \$14 to \$14 10; Aug., \$14; Sept., \$13 95 to \$14 20; Oct., \$14 to \$14 47; Dec., \$13 95 to \$14 30; spot steady, 16c to 161c.

SUGAR—Steady; Standard "A." 3 15-16c to 4½c; confectioners "A." 3 13-16c to 4½c; cutloaf, 4 9-16c to 4½c; crushed, 4 9-16c to 4½c; powdered, 4 3-16c to 4½c; granulated, 3 15-16c to 4½c.

Wheat continued strong today on reports of crop damage and heavy export demand, the close being Ic above yesterday. Corn gained ic in sympathy with wheat, and oats were unchanged. Provisions were lower.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 18 cars; corn, 208 cars; oats, 193 cars; hogs, 16,000 head.

head.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—April, 57½c to 58c; May, 58½c to 58½c; July, 59c; Sept., 60½c.

CORN—April, 45½c to 45½c; May, 45¾c to 45½c; July, 46½c; Sept., 46½c.

OATS—May, 28¾c; June, 28¾c; July, 27¾c.

PORK—May, \$12 15; July, \$12 37½.

LARD—May, \$6 87½; July, \$7 €2½; Sept., \$7 15.

SHORT RIBS—May, \$6 22½; July, \$6 37½;

Sept., \$6 52½.

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CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour higher: No. 2 spring wheat, 62½c to 64½c; No. 3 do, 61½c; No. 2 red, 58c to 58½c; No. 2 corn, 45½c to 45½c; No. 2 oats, 2c§c; No. 2 rye, 60c; No. 2 barley, 53½c; pork, \$12 10 to \$12 37½; lard, \$6 85 to \$6 90; short ribs sides, \$6 22½ to \$6 25; dry salted shoulders, \$5 37½ to \$5 50; short clear sides, \$6 55 to \$6 60. Sept., \$6 52½.

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BUFFALO, April 18.
WHEAT—Spring wheat—Market got away from orders in hand; limits firm; No. 1 hard, 10c to 10½c over No. 1 Northern, 9½c to 9½c over Chicago May. Sales: 14,000 bu No. 1 hard, 67½c; 3,000 bu do, 68c to 68½c. Closing: No. 1 hard, 67½c to 68½c; No. 1 northern, 67½c to 67½c. Winter wheat higher; track offerings very scarce. Sales: 4 cars No. 2 red, 64½c to 64½c; 1 car mixed, 61½c on track; closing, No. 2 red, 64½c on track, 62½c in store; No. 1 white, 70c in store and to arrive.

CORN—Opened higher and closed strong; offerings liight; sales. 7 cars No. 2 yellow, 50c; 5 cars No. 3 yellow, 49½c; No. 3 do, 49½c to 49½c on track; No. 2 yellow, 49½c; No. 3 do, 49½c to 49½c on track; No. 2 yellow, 49½c; No. 3 yellow, 48½c; No. 3 corn, 48½c asked in store.

OATS—Dull; easy; No. 2 white, 35½c; No. 3 white, 35c; No. 2 mixed, 33c, on track.

RYE—Dull; No. 2, 60c asked in store.

FLOUR—Firm, fair demand; unchanged.

MILLFEED—Quiet, steady; unchanged.

Receipts—Wheat, none; corn, 12,000 bu; oats, 9,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 10,000 bu; wheat, 31,000 bu; corn, 4000 bu; buller to the store.

Shipments—Flour, 10,000 bu; wheat, 31,000 bu; corn, 40,000 bu; barley, 14,000 bu. Live Stock Markets.

New York, April 18.—Beaves — Receipts, 315 head. No trading: feeling steady; city dressed native sides easier at 8½ to 10c; common Texas beef, 7c to 8c.

Calves—Receipts, 330 head; market dull; inferior to prime veals, \$2.75 to \$5; dressed calves easier at 4c to 7c for country dressed veals, ½c to 8c for city dressed, 3c to 3½ c for little calves. Sheep and Lamos—Receipts, 3,265. Good sheep and prime lambs firm; other grades steady; ordinary to choice unshorn sheep, \$350 to \$5.37½; clipped do, \$3 to \$4.50; common to prime unshorn yearling lambs, \$4.50 to \$6; good to choice clipped do, \$5.10 \$5.50; dressed

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.
EAST BUFFALO, April 18.—Cattle—Receipts,
31 cars through; none on sale; nothing doing;
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Hogs—Receipts, 10 cars through, 33 on sale, Market, 15c to 25c lower; Yorkers, \$5 05 to \$5 10; mixed packers, \$5 15 to \$5 20; good mediums, \$5 25 to \$5 30; choice heavy, \$5 35 to \$5 40; roughs, \$4 40 to \$4 60; stags, \$3 25 to \$4; market closed steady, with all sold.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2 cars through, 41 on sale, including 23 held over. Market steady to strong for prime lambs. Choice to extra woollambs, \$5 75 to \$5 83; good to choice, \$5 50 to \$5 70; light to fair, \$3 75 to \$5 25; clipped lambs, \$4 25 to \$4 25; mixed wool sheep, \$4 25 to \$4 75; fair to good, \$3 25 to \$4 25; market closed steady for good handy shipping and butchers' grades; slow and weak for heavy exports; quite a number unsold.

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The pens were filled.

Cattle — Receipts, 11,000 head. Extra 1,500 to 1,650 lb steers, \$6 10 to \$6 25; | choice to extra 1,300 to 1.500 lb steers, \$5 60 to \$6; | choice steers, 1,100 to 1,200 lbs, \$5 30 to \$5 65; | common to medium steers, 900 to 1,300 lbs, \$4 to \$5 15; | bulis, choice to extra, \$4 60 to \$5; | bulis, poor to good, \$2 to \$3 :0; feeders, 900 to 1,200 lbs, \$3 90 to \$4 75; | stockers, 600 to 900 lbs, \$2 60 to \$3 85; | cows and heifers, extra, \$4 50 to \$5; | cows, fair to choice, \$3 to \$4 25; | cows, poor to good canners, \$1 75 to \$2 50; | veals, good to choice, \$3 75 to \$4 75; | veals, good to choice, \$3 75 to \$4 75; | veals, good to choice, \$3 25; | Texas steers, fed, \$4 to \$5 25; | Texas cows, fed, \$3 25 to \$4. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000. Heavy packing and shipping lots, \$4 95 to \$5 10; | common to choice assorted, \$4 80 to \$5 90; | light, \$4 60 to \$4 95; | pigs, \$4 to \$4 70. | Sheen — Receipts, 11 000. External to the contract of the steep in the steep in

assorted, \$4 of to \$5 so, light, \$1 so pigs, \$4 to \$4 70.

Sheep — Receipts, 11,000. Inferior to choice, \$2 5j to \$4 80; lambs, \$3 50 to \$5 60.

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LOGAL BREVITIES.

The Morning Advertiser will be found to have all the Parliamentary news from Ottawa up to date, and also the happenings of the entire globe for the previous 24 hours. Get it tomorrow morning. Two cents will

-Judge Edward Elliott held division court at Wyoming today.

-The St. Marys Journal rebukes the habit some of its citizens have of going off to London to make purchases. —The Brantford Expositor says that from fifteen to twenty families will be removed there when the Grand Trunk car shops close

—The Conservatives again asked a threeweeks hoist of their motion to unseat Ald. J. W. Jones, John Heamen and E. Parnell today. Judge Wm. Elliot granted it.

—Mr. Fred L. Evans, leader of the Grand Opera House orchestra, has been appointed organist and choir master of the Knox Presbyterian Church, South London, commencing next month.

A team of horses attached to a brand new wagon ran away on York street west yesterday afternoon. They crossed the York street bridge and went up Stanley street. The fence surrounding the market garden at the corner of Stanley and the Wharncliffe roads proved an obstruction, and the runaways were brought to a sudden standstill. The horses, wagon and driver were unhurt, but the fence was considerably

damaged. -The authorities of Ingersoll have paid costs and withdrawn the charges against E. B. Surbey, of Woodstock, for selling tea without a license. The Ontario statutes do not authorize municipalities to demand a license fee from parties canvassing for tea, provided the tea belongs to the party canvassing.

-Keep disengaged for the annual meeting of the Western Ontario Bible Society, on Monday evening next, at Cronyn Hall. Addresses by Bishop Baldwin, Rev. Dr. J. V. Smith, of Hamilton, Rev. Robert Johnston, the new pastor of St. Andrew's Church, London, and others, Collection. Everybody welcome.

-Samuel E. Hillman, recently convicted of neglecting to support his wife, was arraigned before Judge Wm. Elliot this raigned before Judge Wm. Elliot this morning for sentence. On entering into recognizances, Hillman was allowed his liberty until July 18, when he will appear for sentence. In the mount in for sentence. In the meantime he will pay his wife \$2 a week. This he readily agreed

-The closing "At Home" of the Palace Dancing Academy, which announces the near end of the season there, was held last night and was largely attended and much enjoyed. It was a full dress affair. Mr. and Mrs. James McCormick received the guests and the music was rendered by Prof. Dayton assisted by Mr. Fred. L. Evans. Supper was served at midnight. The season at the Academy has been very success-

—Mrs. Hutchinson begs gratefully to acknowlege books from the following friends in response to her circular asking for suitin response to her circular asking for suitable books to the jail library: Mrs. H. Carling, Mrs. Code, Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron, Mrs. H. Beddome, Mrs. John Bowman, Mrs. Whitehead, Mr. F. W. Matthews. Mr. Strong. Miss Nelles, Mr. Coffey, Mrs. Nelles, Mrs. Labatt, sen., Miss Auld, Rev. W. J. Clark.

mutton, 6½c to 8½c; dressed yearlings, 5c to 10c. | had an hallucination that he owned Judge Hogs—Receipts, 4,162. Market easier at Elliott's house on Wellington street north. He went there one Saturday evening when the judge and his wife were away and tried to force his way in. Mr. James A. Little, a clerk in the Molsons Bank, happened to be in the house at the time. He had a lively shake with Stewart, and finally succeeded in flooring him. Stewart was further remanded until Tuesday.

-Word was received from Toronto vesterday of the death in that city of Mr. Wm. Rowland, inspector for the Sun Fire Inwith his father's family from Kingston-on-Thames in 1843. After spending some time in the milling business at St. John (or Arva) and subsequently engaging in mercantile pursuits in this city, he moved to Toronto. There for a number of years he had been employed in insurance work, and up to the time of his death was one of the Sun Company's most efficient and trusted attaches. A man of liberal education, marked ability, unswerving rectitude and genial disposition, he was respected and esteemed by all with whom he associated, and his death will be regretted by a large circle outside of his bereaved family and intimate friends. Mr. Rowland's widowed mother, now in her 94th year, survives her eldest son, who had reached "three score and ten." Deceased leaves a widow, three daughters and two sons. Mr. Edward Rowland, of H. M. S. customs, St. Thomas; Rev. Alfred Rowland, of Lake Geneva, Wis., and Mr. H. Rowland, of the Oxford Tribune, are his brothers; Mrs. A. T. H. Johnson, of this city, and Mrs. John Millar, of Chicago, being his sisters. The funeral takes place on Saturday in Toronto.

THE SPRINGBANK LINE. The surveyors who are laying out the Springbank electric line have got as far as Springbank. A force of men will be put to work next week, and it is hoped to have the line complete by May 24. The route starts on the Pipe Line road at the city limits, and about 100 feet west of the second cove it diverges to the north, and runs across country between the road and the river, skirting the rear of the farms between that point and Woodland Cemetery. It will keep close to the river bank on the northerly limit of the graveyard, and the big ravine beyond will be trestled. From there on the route will be as direct as possible to the Waterworks property.

BOUGHT SHODDY GOODS. J. J. Baine this morning was charged by John Plaxton and George A. Dowling with fraud. Plaxton and Dowling are C. P. R. engineers and live at 677 Colborne street and 606 Princess avenue respectively. They claim that over a year ago they purchased goods from Baine on the understanding that if the stuff was unsatisfactory it could be returned to the headquarters of Baine's firm in Toronto.

Dowling and Plaxton gave notes for \$27 50 each. The cloth proved to be shoddy, but when the purchasers went to the "firm's" alleged quarters in Toronto they found it was a flour and feed store. A warrant was issued in March, 1894, for Baine's arrest, but he had left London and evaded the police until yesterday, when he was arrested in Hamilton by Detective Nickle. Pantries incomplete unless they contain our Baine had sold the notes to Frank E. Sage. of this city, and Messrs. Dowling and Plaxton refused to settle. They were sued FLAVORING EXTRACTS | Plaxton refused to settle. They were sued in the Division Court, and Sage won. Baine was remanded.

Charley Miles, a young East Ender, had been summoned on a charge of assaulting Sidney Bloye while the latter was walking with a young lady on Talbot street on Saturday evening. He failed to appear and warrant for his arrest was issued.

THE MERCHANT LINE.

Boats Will Ply Between Port Stanley and Montreal

Twice a Week During the Summer Months—Will Commence on Friday Week.

Mr. C. A. Jacques, the representative of the Merchant Line, Montreal, was in town yesterday, and business men generally, and wholesale men in particular, will be pleased with the result of his visit. Yesterday afternoon he met a number of city merchants and manufacturers in the Board of Trade rooms, and in the conference that occurred it was arranged that two boats will ply between Port Stanley and Montreal during the coming summer. They will leave Port Stanley on Wednesdays and Saturdays and returning leave Montreal on Wednesdays and Fridays. The route will be via Prescott, Brockville, Kingston, Toronto, Welland Canal, Port Stanley, Toledo, Cleveland, and return. The first boat of this line will leave Port Stanley on Friday week. It will be the Cuba, which has been laid up at Port Dalhousie all winter.

OIL COMING DOWN.

The Boom Apparently Bursted-Reduc tion of 20 Cents.

PITTSBUG, Pa., April 19.-For the first time since the Standard Oil Company fixed the price it would pay for crude oil at \$1 a barrel for the Pennsylvania product, it this morning paid less than on previous days. Their figures are \$2 40, a reduction of 20 cents from yesterday's prices.

TWO THOUSAND HOUSES

BURNED. MADRID, April 19.—The Government is informed that the town of Tatay, a seaport of the Philippine Islands and capital of the Province of Calamianes,

LONDON, April 19 .-- Oscar Wilde and his friend Alfred Taylor were arraigned in the Bow street police court at noon today for further examination. Wilde the prisoners. Wilde and Taylor were fully committed for trial in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey. Application for bail was refused. Wilde, in reply to the question whether he had anything to say, said, "Not at present,"

THE STAMP FORGERS. CHICAGO, April 19.—Chas. O. Jones, the newspaper artist, was positively identified this morning as the mysterious George Morrison, dealer in counterfeit stamps. The woman under arrest in Hamilton, Ont., known as Mrs. Mack, is Tiensey McMillan, of Chicago. She is the principal in the stamp forgeries, and her only associate is Jones.

Henry Stewart was charged with insanity before Judge Wm. Elliot this morning. Stewart is the powerful fellow who

JAPAN GETS EVERYTHING.

Further Terms of the Peace Treaty-Japan's Eye for Business. LONDON, April 19.-A Central News dispatch rfom Tokio gives additional details of the treaty of peace, the prin-

cipal features of which have already been published. The treaty secures to Japan entire freedom in the importation into China of steam engines and machinery for manufacturers, and the surance Company, who expired at midnight on Wednesday. Mr. Rowland was well known in this city, having come to London to China. The latter also grants to Japan extra territorial rights wherein, in the matters of tariff and the dispen-sation of justice, Japan reserves every privilege. The indemnity is payable in seven yearly installments at 5 per cent. Payment of obligation within three years cancels the interest. In addition to these provisions China engages not to punish returned prisoners nor to inflict punishment upon Chinese who may have furnished supplies to the Japanese army and navy. China also binds herself to return Japanese prisoners unconditionally. The exchange of ratifications of the treaty will take place at Che Foo not later than May 6.

LION'S HEAD, Ont., April 19.—The store of Moore & Van Dusen was totally consumed by fire, with contents; also the hardware store of F. B. Crabb, adjoining. The fire caught in the hardware premises. Loss on hardware, \$1, 200; loss to Moore & Van Dusen, \$15,-000; insurance, \$7,000.

THAT ACHING HEAD.

What Causes it and How Overcome.

How often the remark, "Oh, my head

aches," and there are many varieties of aches and pains the head is subject to all along the line, from the dull and heavy and oppressed feeling over the eyes, to the persistent, racking and tortuing misery of sick headache. The turing misery of sick headache. The cause is in most cases the same, the overflow of poisonous uric acid is not extracted from the blood by the kidneys, and accumulating in the blood, cause high and irregular pulse, headaches, mental depression and nausea. Chase's K. and L. Pills tone and restore Chase's K. and L. Pills tone and restore the kidneys, excrete poisonous matter from the blood, sending it on its way pure and health-giving, curing headache, and removing all the attending symptoms from its wake. Mrs. G. Bird, Harriston, Ont., while attending the 1894 fall exhibition at Toronto, was taken very ill with sick headache and taken very ill with sick headache and dizziness. She was subject to these attacks for years, compelling her to take to her bed. In this case by using Chase's Pills relief was immediately obtained, and the usual days of misery and pros-tration avoided. Thousands of such cases can be referred to where Chase's Pills have cured sick headache and its attendant symptoms. 25 cents a box. Of all dealers, or by addressing Edmanson, Bates & Co., 45 Lombard street, Toronto.

DIED.

DUNCAN-In the township of Westminster, on April 19, 1895, George Duncan, in his 77th

Funeral will leave the residence of his son, McKenzie Duncan, con. 2, Westminster, on Sunday, April 21, at 2 p.m.; service, 1:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Pond Mills Ceme-

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Stella fancied that it would be very little use if she did.

"He has done everything possible for the boy's welfare," proceeded her husband, in a somewhat annoyed tone. "Borne with him taught him, cared for him like an elder brother, as few men of his age and standing would have done. I have the greatest confidence in Ralph Kingscot, and I hope, dear Stella, that you will try to be friendly with him when we reach Torresmuir."

"I will try," she answered, gently. She wished that he had said—"when we reach

They were both silent after this. It al most seemed to Stella as if some shadow had fallen across her sunshine, some cold breath of air had stolen across the warmth of her hopes. But as they turned, before re-entering their hotel, to watch the glimmering lights and the crimson reflections of the sunset sky upon the sea, she felt her husband's hand touch her arm, and draw her closer to his side.

"You see that star?" he said, in the carressing voice that was already as music in her ears. "You see how large and bright it is! I am beginning to grow old. It will soon be the evening of life with me; and you, Stella, you are the star that lights the coming darkness, and gives a radiance to the right. I fancy sometimes, qual, will bring me back all my old light and joy, will bring me back all my old light and joy, return to it with you—that we shall find in you the luck-or the Gluck, as the Germans would call it-the good fortune, the happiness-of the house!

And yet-it was an odd thing, when one came to think of it-Stella remembered afterwards that he had never once told her that he loved her!

CHAPTER XV.

Two gentlemen were sitting in a small private parlor at the Birnam Arms. They where both pale and both dark; otherwise there was not much resemblance between them. One was somewhat effeminate in appearance: the other was tall, sinewy, and vigorous-looking-little altered from the man to whom Stella Raeburn had once given her maiden heart. John Hannington was bronzed by some weeks' fishing in the Highlands, and was, if anything, rather handsomer than in the days when he wooed Stella under the ruined arches of Balmerino, but his face had not improved in expression. It was more cynical, more discontented, more defiant, than it had been even a year ago. Life had not been going altogether well with him since

His companion, Ralph Kingscot, was leaning back in a large arm-chair, with a cigar between his lips. His small features were lit up with an expression of the keenest

"So she had a little love affair before she came to Dunkeld!" he was exclaiming. This is most interesting. I thought she looked too innocent for this very wicked

"She's innocent enough," Hannington was beginning sulkily, but Kingscot inter-

rupted him with his mocking laugh. "Oh, she's a lily, a snowflake, a pearlwe all know that; Moncrieff's besotted on her baby-face already. She's just the style he's likely to go mad about—fair, gentle, blue-eyed, golden-haired, and all the rest of it-as great a contrast to his first wife as could possible be imagined,"

"What was the first Mrs. Moncrieff like,

"She was my half-sister, you know. Well she was like Molly, only there was a little more red in her hair and the tint of her eye. She was fair; of course you will say that constitutes a likeness to the present Mrs. Moncrieff, but the two women were not a bit alike. Molly is not like the fair Stella, for instance.'

"She is ten times handsomer," said John Hannington.

"I think so; Moncrieff doesn't," said Kingscot, quietly. "She was a woman with a temper, as wild and skittish a creature as you ever met; a demon of a tongue, and no capacity for restraining it-or herself. Molly's a spitfire, but she is not equal to her mother.'

"You give your sister a nice character." "Half-sister, if you please. It makes all the difference. Marie and I had different mothers; there was Basque blood in hers. I don't know how she would have lived with Moncrieff as long as she did if I had not been there to calm the two down when they had their little disputes. That I managed well you may conclude from the fact that I have had free quarters at Torresmuir ever since. I am supposed to do something in the way of bear leading; but my cub will soon go to Cambridge, I believe, and the question will then be whether I am to remain or not.

"The new Mrs. Monerieff will have something to say to that, I imagine, said Hannington dryly.
"Yes-confound her." He looked as if he

would like to use a stronger word. "Does she like you much?"-Hannington's tone was malicious.

"Hates me like poison, I believe. No. I suppose I shall have to go, bag and beggage and make myself comfortable somewhere else.

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"What would destroy her influence?" "Well-I have an idea or two." "Let's hear them."

"Are you on my side, Hannington? The girl behaved shabbily to you, you say—"
"Cut me in the presence of half a dozen of my friends. Yes, she made it rather awkward for me. You know Lady Valencia Gilderoy?-an old friend of mine. She made up her mind that I had given the girl good cause for offense, and has turned the cold shoulder to me ever since-done me good deal of mischief, I can tell you!'

"Oh, nobody minds Lady Val; I know her," said Kingscot, with apparent carelessness, although he kept a very watchful eye upon his friend. "Still, Miss Stella must e a spiteful little minx. You would not object to see her pride have a fall, then?"

"And it is, of course, my interest tolessen her influence as much as possible. Well, there are two ways in which to do it."

"One I'll keep to myself," said Kingscot, with an ugly smile. "The other depends omewhat on you. You say you have letters

Hannington's face flushed. "I did not say I would show them." answered.

"You did not say so. But—but—what if you let Moncrieff have a glance at them?" Hannington shifted uneasily in his chair. "I don't see the use of that,' he said. "You don't?"

"No, I kon't." "Why don't you know than Alan Mon-crieff is the most jealous, the most suspicious man alive? If I know anything of women, my dear Jack, she won't have told him a word about you, or only what she pleases; and she will be mortally afraid of his getting to know the true state of the case."

"Well," growled Hannington, "the way to punish her, then, will be to threaten her. to hold the letter over her head, and give her a good fright. Ishouldn't mind doing

"Our aims differ," said Kingscot, throwing himself back lazily in his chair, and lighting a fresh cigar. "You want merely to punish her-I want to spoil her influence with Moncrieff; there's the difference."

"Can't we do both!" suggested his companion, slowly. Then there was a little silence, during which each man smoked industriously, and resolved his own plans. When Kingscot next spoke, he seemingly changed the subject.

"So you saw Molly at the Lswsons this autumn?" he said. "She isn't a bad looking girl, is she?" "Not at all."

"She'll have a fair fortune," said Molly's uncle. "She has her mother's money—comes into it at her marriage, or when she is twenty-one. "Indeed. Much?"

"Twenty-five thousand. Nothing to a fellow like you. But it will add to Molly's attractions. He thought that he caught sight of an odd glitter in Hannington's black eyes. But he

went on discreetly. "Moncrieff has the idea that he ought to tie her up very tight-I think he's married the pretty Stella with the idea of getting a jailer for his poor child. She'll not be allowed to come out until she is past her teens, or mix with the world at large until she's three and twenty. Before then, however, Alan will have found her a model husband, some worthy prosy neighboring laird, who will keep her in order and bury her in dull mansion in the Highlands nine months in the year; and that will be poor Molly's future fate.

"Not a bit!" said Hanningion, abruptly. "She'd not stand it, my dear fellow. Sh

"She had better bolt before marriage than after," was Kingscot's cynical response. To which his friend made no answer, but sat with his eyes fixed intently upon the opposite wall, and his foot moving medita

tively to and fro. "We should be going, I think," said Ralph at last, after looking at his watch. 'The train's due, and I must be on the spot to give Mr. and Mrs. Moncrieff welcome. Will you come too?"

"NotI . I'll see Mrs. Moncrieff some o ther day-no fear."

"You won't call?" "Don't know."

"I thought that you were so very friendly with Molly She gave me quite a touching account of your attentions to her." (To be Continued.)

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Miss Blanc, contemptuously-That's a nice-looking watch. Did you have to buy a suit of clothes to get that? John Ware, reflectively-No, on the con-

trary, I had to sell one. The Ills of Women. Constipation causes more than half the ills of women. Karl's Clover Root Tea is a pleasant cure for Consumption. For sale by W. T

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THE ICE KING'S WORK.

The Long Railway Bridge at Fredericton, N. B., Damaged.

One Pier Pushed Out of Place - An Embargo on Travel-Quebec Harbor Packed With Ice

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 18.-The ice jam in the St. John River yesterday seriously damaged one of the piers of the railway bridge. The entire pier was moved down the river about four feet, and the top is considerably listed, entirely interrupting traffic. The damage is estimated at \$3,000, and it cannot be repaired until low water in midsummer. The bridge, which is more than half a mile long, forms the connecting link between the Canadian Eastern Railway and the Gibson branch of the C. P. R. west and to St. John from this city. There is a large through traffic over it and seven trains run across it each way daily between this city and Marysville. The bridge is owned by the Fredericton and St. Marys Bridge Company, of which Alex. Gibson is president and Mr. Temple, M. P. for York, is managing director. The big highway bridge, half a mile above the railway bridge, so far has stood the ice without damage, and apparently all further damage is now past. QUEBEC, April 18 .- The river is covered by vast fields of ice. The harbor is com-pletely packed with it.

MIDDLESEX.

Rebecca Notes.—Mr. Johnston has bought the Rebecca Hotel from Mr. Jacob Seaton for a reasonable sum.— Mrs. Samuel Duffin and two daughters Miss Robina and Mary, are visiting friends in Corbet.-Miss Gertie Harris has arrived home, after spending the Easter holidays with friends in Thorndale.-Mr. Jackson, who has been seriously ill, is recovering, but is not able to attend to his work.—Miss Edith Wilson is visiting friends in London.-A football match will be played on Saturday, 19th inst., in Mr. Harris' field, between the Grove and Rebecca football teams.-Miss Agnes Clifford has returned to her work in the city, after spending a month under the parental roof.—Mr. Williams, barber, of Burgessville, is the guest of the Miss Pinels, of Hickory Dale Farm.

A very pretty and quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. James Mc-Lellan, Derwent, on the evening of Wednesday, April 17, the occasion being the marriage of his youngest daughter, Maggie, to Llewellyn Barr, of Harrietsville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. Jackson, of Belmont, assisted by the Rev. C. Dewey, of Gladstone, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The bride entered the parlor leaning on the arm of her father, and looked very beautiful in a dress of white surah silk, with pearl trimming. The bridal couple stood beneath an arch of Easter lilies, a fitting emblem for the Eastertide. After the ceremony the guests sat down to a sumptuous wedding breakfast. The presents were beautiful and costly. After spending a pleasant evening, Mr. and Mrs. Barr left for their new home at Harrietsville amid the best wishes of their many friends.

Malcolm McNeil, of Brooke, has purchased a 100-acre farm, lot 20, con. 14, Metcalfe from Meggra gald McCallum, for the sum of \$3,400. It is stated that Wallace Graham, late of Parkhill, died in Chicago the other day by taking his own life. He formerly ran the Parkhill Gazette.-Exeter Times.

A. McDonald has purchased the west half of the south half of lot 14, in the fifth concession of Mosa from Neil Hillman for the sum of \$1,800-50 acres, good buildings.

Mr. T. F. Purdy, of Aldborough, has bought the Harvey Webb farm in Mosa This is considered a good for \$2,450. farm, containing 118 acres, on which there are 23 acres of wheat and excellent buildings.

Glencoe Amateur Athletic Club has elected the following officers: Honorary president, Rev. R. W. Ross; president J. H. Brownlee; vice-president, C. G. Mason; secretary-treasurer, T. A. G. Gordon; councilors, Dr. Dewar, C. M. McDougall and A. M. Edwards.

The funeral of Matthias Sutton, of Westminster, took place Wednesday to Hunt's Cemetery and was largley attended. A short service was held at the house, after which the remains were taken to the North Street Methodist Church. Rev. Mr. Garbutt preached and Rev. Mr. Jackson led in prayer. The pall-bearers were Samuel Adams, Henry Monteith, Solomon Dale, Joseph Baker, James May and George Hop-

ST. MARYS.

"Advertiser" Agents, L. M. Thomas and J. Waters.) April 18.—The annual vestry meeting of the English Church was held on Monday evening, Rev. W. J. Taylor, rector, in the chair. After prayer, the chairman called upon Mr. F. H. Wilson to read the financial statement of the chair statement. read the financial statement. This showed receipts \$2,397 95; disbursements \$1,929 30. Four hundred dollars were paid upon the debt, leaving a balance to commence a fresh year. Mr. Wilson said he considered the report a satisfactory one, and when it was stated that several improvements had been made upon the church in the year, especially The following officers were then elected: Rector's warden, Mr. F. W Wilson; people's warden, Mr. W. C Montizambert; advisory board, Messrs W. Johnston, T. Lancaster, C. S. Ramsey and J. Stafford; treasurer, C. S Ramsey, sidesmen, Messrs. F. and E. Robinson, A. Johnston and C. Busselle; organist, Miss Howard; auditors, Messrs. H. V. Hutton and H. A. L. White; vestry clerk, Mr. J. Perdue; sexton, Mr. G. Spearin; delegates to the Synod, Messrs. W. Johnston and J. Stafford. The rector closed a most pleasant and business-like meeting with a short address, in which he said that he was thankful for renewed health, grateful to the wardens, the ladies and all the societies for their work. The future was hopeful. All Lenten services had been well attended, and the four visits of the bishop had been greatly appreciated.

BRITISH STEAMER WRECKED. CAPE HENRY, Va., April 18.—The British steamer Newborough, from Tampa, Fla., for Newport News, Va., went ashore at Newas Woods life saving station, N. C., at night. The crew were saved. The vessel and cargo will probably be a total loss.

THE CONDUCTORS' TRIAL. MONTREAL, April 18 .- In the Court of Queen's Bench this morning, on the resumption of the Grand Trunk conductors' trial, James Snodgrass, chief clerk in the passenger department, gave information as to the use made of a conductor's punch, and identified the instruments produced as similar to those used on the line. Andrew Joyce stated that he had frequently received cash collections of fares paid on the trains by Conductor Defries when he was running between Montreal and Toronto a few years ago.

We recommend the use of Dr. Sei-gert's Angostura Bitters to our friends who suffer with dyspepsia.

A Fatal Hog Disease in Bruce-Peculiar Death of Chester's Village Clerk-Farm Sales-Western Happenings.

Thamesville will hold a monster demonstration on May 24. Windsor Presbyterians will erect a

20,000 church to seat 1,000 people. Thieves broke into Joseph Odey's barber shop, Windsor, on London street, Tuesday night, and stole fifteen razors, two clippers and a pair of shears. Wm. Plunkett, of Iowa, has sold his farm, lot 15, con. 7, Fullarton, to Robt. Baker, for \$4,200. The farm has been

years. In spite of the fact that there is a law against spring duck shooting, the birds are being slaughtered down the Detroit River by people living on the

in the Plunkett family for nearly 50

Canadian side. Robert Ranney has sold his 100 acre farm in Elma, Perth county, to the Lambert Brothers, for \$5,600. Mr. Ranney has opened a banking business in Milverton, successor to W. N. Little &

Owing to the withdrawal of Rev. Mr. Hale from his connection with the Episcopal Church as a clergyman, St. Paul's Church at Point Edward has been closed by the order of Bishop Baldwin until the vacancy could be filled. Geo. Seebach, sen., of Sebringville,

Perth county, leaves for Michigan in a

few days to search for his brother,

Jacob, who, is is reported, has been burned to death in a lumber camp in the county of Cheboygan. J. A. Beaton, village clerk of Chester, picked a pimple on his nose and blood poisoning set in. He grew worse and died in a few days. He leaves a widow and a young family of eight children.

He was superintendent of Chesley Methodist Sunday school. John P. Gibson, a former resident of Seaforth, and son-in-law of Thomas Livingston, of Hullett, but now of Plymouth county, Iowa, writes that he has just sold his 240 acre farm in that couny for \$13,200, and has bought a 600 acre rm in Dickinson county, paying there-

At the sale of the late Archibald Brant, on Tuesday last, the 200 acre farm in Morris township, Huron county, adjoining Wingham, was purchased by Malcolm Lamont, of Wingham, for \$6, 030. The farm is admirably adapted for stock raising and graising, for which

purposes Mr. Lamont will use it. A very fatal disease has broken out among the hogs in Bruce and Saugeen. One farmer was able to count up the losses in this district till the number reached nearly 200 young pigs. Among the heavy losers are Cavin Brothers, J. H. Seiffert, Geo. Webb, James Clark, McGillivray, D. Barker, Arch Ran-

kin and many others. The body of the late Mrs. Wiley Wawanosh, the Indian woman who was drowned through the ice while crossing to Walpole Island in February last, was found the other evening. It had drifted into a shallow channel among the islands, and was found by some men who were fishing by torchlight. The remains were brought up to Sarnia, and the funeral was held on Tuesday from the Wawanosh homestead to the cemetery on the Indian reserve.

The other night a stranger called at the residence of Mrs. William Treble, of Windsor, and handing her an envelope said that it contained an amount of money that he owed her husband, who died a number of years ago. Before the envelope was opened he disappeared in the darkness. The amount was \$80, made up of four \$20 bills, and the family have not the slightest idea who the stranger was. Mr. Treble was for years a conductor on the Grand Trunk Railway, and some think the man was someone whom he had helped along.

THE STAMP COUNTERFEITERS. CHICAGO, April 18.-United States secret service men last night arrested C. O. Jones, a newspaper artist, of this city, for complicity in counterfeiting the 2-cent stamps. The officers are certain that they will soon have the entire gang in custody, in addition to obtaining possession of the machinery with which

the work was done. George Morrison, the leader of the postage stamp counterfeiters, was arrested at Cincinnati on Wednesday.

Aunt Rosa - Well, Juanito, what would you like to be when you are grown up? Juanito (whose parents are very strict)-I'd like to be an orphan.



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TORONTO, April 18 .- 11 p.m.-The pressure is comparatively low in the Northwest Territories. Elsewhere over the greater portion of the continent it is a little above the average. The weather has been fine throughout the

country. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 20—58; Qu'Appelle, 28—64; Winnipeg, 44—66; Parry Sound, 28—68; Toronto, 40—61; Montreal, 30—60; Quebec, 30—60; Halifax, 32—56. TORONTO, April 19.-1 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lake region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Light and moderate winds; fine and very mild.

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Wheat in Chicago Takes a Turn-Advance of Four Cents in Three Days. CHICAGO, April 18.-Wheat jumped 1 1-2 cents today, making an advance of 4 cents in three days. There was a big scramble among the bears in consequence. The market closed at 1 cent advance over the closing price last

night of 57 1-4 cents. The first sales today were from 57 1-2 cents to 58 cents. At noon there was a flurry and everybody watched Partridge, whose short line is counted in the millions, but the brokers of the plucky plunger said he covered a lot of May wheat only to sell double as much for July in his effort to check

If Partridge had turned into cover a panic of disastrous proportions could not have been avoided. The natural explosive forces at work in the market gave it a boost of three-quarters of a cent at midday in about two minutes.

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-The Seventh Battalion will have a march out on Monday evening next. -Mayor Little goes out of town today on private business. Ald. Jones

will act in his absence. -Master Winfield Rapley, of Strathroy, is spending Easter holidays with Master Gordon Keenleyside, Grey street.

-Mr. Arthur B. Magee, of the Buffalo Dental College, is visiting his father, Mr. James Magee, county crown attorney. -Miss Dot Percival returned home on

Tuesday from Jerseyville, Ont., where she spent very pleasant Easter holidays with -The spring examination sof the Medical Council are in progress during this week. good.

Dr. Jarvis is in Toronto for the examination A SU

of students in homeopathy. -J. H. Moran's sale of carriages, carts, wagons, etc., will commence at 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 27. This was neglected in of the church furnishing fund. The the advertisement previously.

-Strawberries made their appear-They came from Florida, and in small pint boxes they sold rapidly at 20 cents. -The Meteor Bicycle Club intend to mecure new club rooms on Dundas street shortly. They are casting longing eyes at the Fysh residence, just east of Waterloo street.

-John Jackson, the ex fishery inspector, has been committed for trial at Barrie on the charge of defrauding the Government; Jackson was given the first hearing in this city. He will be tried at the end of the

stables to the Toronto horse show. Among those who left yesterday for the show were Messrs. T. S. Weld, Adam Beck, and R. Gibson (Delaware), and Major McEwen

-C. Polutta, an Italian fruit vendor, was before Squire Lacey, charged with breach of the county bylaws by peddling fruit in London West without the necessary license. Polutta was given the option of paying a \$1 fine and \$2 35 costs, and discontinuing his sales in the village, or paying the costs and taking out a license. He chose the latter.

-The advertiser wrote the words, "It pleases the masses," in his advertise-ment. During the passage of the form to the press-room, the space fell out between the words, "the masses." The pressman picked it up and put it in place, as he thought. Imagine the advertiser's feelings when he saw the sentence read thus: "It pleases them

asses! -Mr. Allan J. McLaughlin, son of Mr. P. H. McLaughlin, of 634 King street, who as a student of the Detroit College of Medicine was some time since appointed asso-ciate editor of the college paper, The Len-cocyte, is the recipient of fresh honor by his appointment to the staff of house physicians at Harper Hospital, in the "City of the Straits." Mr. McLaughlin's wide circle of riends and acquaintances in London will be heartily pleased to hear of his well-merited

-- Dr. Louis C. Elson, of the Boston Conservatory of Music, will lecture on "Wagner and His Theories" in the Cronyn Hall tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The following are among the press notices received in Toronto recently: The most delightful evening Toronto music lovers have enjoyed for years.—[Toronto Grip. Mr. Elson's manner is charming, and his manner is frequently relieved by a dash of humor and a gentle sarcasm that tell mighty tales of widely sought experience. — [Toronto Saturday

—The officers, teachers and Bible classes of Hill Street Methodist Church Sabbath school to the number of about 25 were right royally entertained on Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wortman at their elegant home on Dundas street. Music, mirth and feasting were the features of the evening. Solos were sung by Mrs. Chas. E. A. Carr and Mrs. Charles Currie, Messrs. Harry Lewis, Frank Skinner, Harry Winnett and Frank Parker. Games ad libitum, coffee, sandwiches, cakes and fruit without stint, and there was freedom, fun and frolic for everyone. Altogether it was voted an Al good time and the host and host-ess first-class entertainers.

-A meeting of the Tax Reform Association was held last evening at the Duffield Hall, the chief feature being a very interesting and instructive adtings. Send for our new catalogue. The Gress by Mr. Benjamin Green on "The Tisdale Iron Stable Fittings Co. (Ltd.),, growth of the iron trade." Those present had a treat. The main question, "Single Tax," was subsequently taken up, the chairman, Mr. James Cummings, inviting questions and calling on members to reply. This feature of the meetings has furnished a means success. One dose gives immediate relief, of communicating information which them by coming.

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Success. One dose gives immediate reletation of communicating information which is an improvement on the usual formal address. Many availed themselves of the opportunity for a little heckling, which was evidently as much enjoyed by the answerers as by the questioners. The meetings of the association are attracting much atention, and new

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faces are seen at each meeting. An evening with the London Tax Reform Association is an evening well spent. -Mrs. Barney, the noted W. C. T. U. prison reform workers from Provi-dence, Rhode Island, addressed an-other large audience in the Wellington Street Church last night, taking for her text part of Psalm cxvi. Devotional exercises preceded the lecture and were led by Rev. J. R. Gundy and Walter Rigsby. Mr. C. R. Sayer, sec-retary of the Y. M. C. A., occupied the chair, Mrs. McCutcheon presided at the organ, and Miss Gilmour, of St. Andrew's Church choir, gave a solo in splendid voice. Mrs. Barney concludes her series of meetings in the city today, speaking at Somerset Hall at 3 o'clock and again in Wellington Street Church in the evening. Her efforts during the week have been productive of much

A SUCCESSFUL CONCERT. Cronyn Hall was comfortably filled last night on the occasion of the musical and literary entertainment in aid artists were Miss Jessie Alexander, Mrs. Robert Burns, Dr. Sippi, Mr. Geo. Each was given a splendid reception, and encores were in order from start to finish. Although the burden of the entertainment rested on Miss Alexander, she responded graciously to the many recalls, and enhanced her popu-larity with Londoners. She is a clever elocutionist of great ability, and glides from grave to gay, from tragedy to comedy, in pathos and in dialect, with equal success. Mrs. Robert Burns quite charmed the audience with her

month.

—Mr. L. Meredith, with several other local horsemen, sent the cream of their local horsemen, sent the cream of their local horsemen. it can apparently hold its own against all comers. Mr. George Angus' inter-pretation of Vieutemps' "Fantasia Caprice" was a masterly effort, and Dr. Sippi's song was also well received. Mr. G. B. Sippi made an accomplished

Song-Mona......Stephen Adams
Mrs. Robt. Burns. Recitation—The Hungarian Patriot.....Nesbit Miss Alexander. Violin solo—Fantasia Caprice......Vieutemps

Mr. George Angus. Recitation—Friday Afternoon in a Primary School (by request)......Jessie Alexander Miss Alexander.

Waltzes—Love's Intoxication.....Bennett Asylum Orchestra. Recitation—Selected..... Miss Alexander.

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1st-All-Wool Challies, newest patterns and designs, either light or dark colors, 100 pieces to choose from, worth 40c, on Saturday night 25c

per yard. 2nd-44-Inch French Poplins, in bluette, golden brown, dark brown, navy, light blue, fawn, stone gray and black, worth 6oc, our price on Saturday night 40c a yard.

3rd-Just received, eight different shades in satins, light blue, cardinal, pink, golden brown, black, cream, white and gobelin blue, on Saturday night 28c yard. 4th-Fine French All-Wool Henriettas, 40 inches wide, and all the new

spring shades, worth 50c, for 30c per yard. 5th—The New Interlining Fibre Chamois, 72 inches wide, sold elsewhere at 35c, on Saturday night 28c yard.

6th-Grass Cloth, on Saturday night 10c. 7th-Special line of Hair Cloth, on Saturday 15c per yard. 8th-Ladies' Silk Gloves in cream, fawn, brown and black, worth 35c, on Saturday night 25c. 9th-Ladies' White Chamois Mosquetaire Gloves, worth \$1 on Saturday

10th-Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere Gloves, on Saturday night 15c pair. 11th-Ladies' Ribbed and Plain Black Cashmere Hose, worth 35c, on Saturday night 23c per pair.

12th—Ladies' Very Fine Black Cashmere Hose, regular 50c goods, on Saturday night 35c per pair. 13th-Mara's "Very Special" Corset, worth 75c, on Saturday night 5oc. 14th—Cream Heavy Thread Laces, wide width, on Saturday night 5c per

15th—Ladies' and Children's Heavy Point Lace Collars, worth 75c, for 50c on Saturday night. 16th-Ladies' White Linen Band Collars, 1c each.

17th—One odd lot to clear of Belding's Wash Silks, Filo Floss and Twisted 18th-No. 16 Heavy Reversible Satin Ribbon, all shades, on Saturday

night 8c per yard. 19th—Best Linen Thread, 8c per spool. 20th—Crochet Cotton, in cream, yellow, pink, blue and shaded, 8c per ball. 21st-Pins, 1c per paper.

23rd-100 dozen Children's Turkish Fez Caps, in blue, white or red, on

22nd-Needles, 2 papers for 5c.

Saturday night 19c.

Gents' Furnishings:

1st-Large Handkerchiefs, Turkey red, white or white with colored borders on Saturday night 5c, or 6 for 25c. and—Best 4-Ply English Stand-Up Linen Collars, in all heights, with turn points, sold elsewhere for 25c, our price on Saturday night 15c. 3rd—Latest Roll Collar, "The Adriatic," worth 25c, on Saturday night

4th—Fine All-Wool Bicycle Sweaters, in cream or black, worth \$1 50, for \$1. 5th-Men's Silk Braces, new goods, 25c.

6th-A great variety in Neglige Shirts, with laundered collars and cuffs, 7th—Laundered Shirts with colored cambric fronts, usually sold at \$1, our

Special to the Boys

Every boy who buys a suit on Saturday night will be presented

with a good (German make) MOUTHORGAN.

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